THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday, probably occasional thunder showers.

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PEACE CONFEREES OF TWO AMERICAS DECIDE UPON PLAN

Program for Settling Mexican Problem Will be Ratified Wednesday.

LANSING ENCOURAGED

All Elements in Mexico Will be Included in Appeal for Peace Conference.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Powers of North and South America already have agreed on a definite plan for dealing with the Mexican problem and when the Pan-American conference is resumed in New York Wednesday the programme will be formally ratified. This information came today from Secretary Lansing. He would not discuss details, but said he was decidedly encouraged.

The confidence of officials here that the conferees, representing the United States, Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Bolivia, Guatemala and Uruguay, will be able to shape a course likely to restore constitutional government in Mexico, is due to the fact that all are agreed that most of the people of the revolution-torn republic are thoroughly sick of war, and will promptly join in a Pan-American movement to clean house. A large section of the country and a vast majority of the people have not been involved in the fighting which followed the overthrow of Huerta. It has been reported to President Wilson that only fear of reprisals by the military chieftains has kept the people in subjection.

All Elements Considered.

Reaching their conclusion on these reports, the Pan-American conferees are understood to have determined to present the situation to all of the elements in Mexico, appealing directly not only to Carranza, Villa and Zapata, but to the governors of states, all military leaders with considerable followings, and other influential men to come together for a conference at which a substantial provision government might be framed.

A government so set up would have the support of the United States and other American republics. Officials believe it would be able to suppress promptly any dissatisfied groups which might attempt to continue civil strife.

There has been talk of joint armed intervention by the powers represented in the conference to quiet any leader who insists on remaining in the field with military forces. Some of the conferees, are said to believe that the moral influence of the powers behind the conference together with a strict embargo against shipment of war munitions to any one in Mexico except the recognized government, would quickly accomplish the desired result.

Lansing Talks Optimistically.

Secretary Lansing talked optimistically today about the situation.

"When the conference adjourned here last Friday," he said, "it had reached the point where a very definite policy with regard to the solution of the Mexican problem had been agreed upon. The conference was adjourned because it wished to consult President Wilson regarding this agreement. I have consulted him through correspondence and we are now ready to resume deliberations and to proceed with the working out the details based upon the original agreement."

Administration officials were somewhat perturbed over official announcement that the Guatemalan minister to Mexico, Mr. Ortega, had beben ordered from Mexico by Carranza and reports that friction between Carranza and Senor Cardoza, Brazilian minister to Mexico, Mr. Ortega, had been ordered matic agent for the United States, had preceded the latter's determination to leave Mexico at this time. Cardoza is coming to the United States to confer with Mr. Dagadia, the Brazilian minister, who is one of the Mexican conferees. He will travel from Vera Cruz to New Orleans on an American gunboat which will also bring Minister Ortega.

Secretary Lansing said he had no knowledge of the Brazilian minister's reason for leaving Mexico nor of his intended visit to the United States except that he had heard his health was poor. Authoritative information from diplomatic sources, however, is to the effect that Carranza and Cardoza have not been friendly for some time, and that it was necessary for the latter to leave before an open breach occurred.

American interests in Mexico City, Mr. Lansing said, probably would remain in a state of "quiescence" after Cardoza's departure.

C. B. Parker, an American attached to the Brazilian legation, has been directed to take charge of the United States archives, although he has no official status.

McADOO IN NEW YORK.

Denies Mission is to Discuss Plan of Financing Mexican Government.

New York, Aug. 9.—William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, who spent today at the New York subtreasury and in the financial district, denied tonight that his mission had been to discuss plans for financing a possible new government in Mexico.

As the conferences between Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, and the Latin-American diplomats will be resumed here Wednesday, the meeting of Secretary Lansing and Secretary McAdoo, at a hotel yesterday was regarded in many quarters as having some important bearing on Mexico's future. Secretary McAdoo said he came here on departmental business, but did not

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FEARED AGGRESSION OF GREAT BRITAIN

While Germany Was Refraining From Quarreling

BELGIANREPORTSFOU

WASHINGTON, D. C. Library of Congress

Purported Secret Documents, Says Berlin Paper, Show That England and Allies and Not Germany Are Real Aggressors.

Berlin, Aug. 9 (via Wireless).—The Nord Deutch Allgemeine Zeitung continue to publish installments of a series of documents purporting to be secret Belgian diplomatic reports found in Brussels, by the Germans. The latest installments comprises comment attributed to Belgian diplomatists regarding alleged political conditions in England, France and Italy during 1908 and 1909.

The Overseas News Agency, in a summary of the document, says:

"Baron Leghalt, Belgian ambassador at Paris, is quoted as having on January 30, 1908, asked whether French jingoes understand whether the new grouping of powers is the result of a vast programme which was wonderfully schemed in London and in the execution of which DelCasse (the French foreign minister) is more tool than imitator.'

'The ambassador of Berlin once more refers to Germany's peaceful attitude saying on February 1, 1908, 'nobody ever had in Berlin the absurd and impossible idea of aggression against England, but everybody fears English aggression.'

"The French ambassador to Berlin whose reports on German affairs have been published in a French yellow book, was characterized on May 13, 1908, by his Belgian colleague thus: 'He is distrusting and suspicious, smells everywhere after-thoughts, and is badly informed, as are all diplomatists who make use of spies.

"The same ambassador on May 30, 1908, said in a letter: 'The triple alliance guaranteed 30 years of peace to the world because it was conducted by Germany, who was satisfied with the political situation in Europe. The new grouping menaces peace because it consists of powers that desire a revision of the status quo.'

"The ambassador of Belgium at Berlin on July 18, 1908, declares that the ambassador in Berlin, Sir Frank Lascelles, was recalled because he tried to eliminate the misunderstanding because the two countries which he considered as stupid and highly obnoxious or both, but his zeal did not correspond to the political ideas of his sovereign.'

"The Belgian ambassador at Berlin, on April 17, 1909, thus characterized the treachery of Italy: 'For a long time past no one in either Berlin nor Vienna has indulged in illusions as to the probable assistance of Italy. The Italian government is entering into engagements concerning its course toward France and England, and at the same time is entering uninterruptedly with London and Paris.'

"The Belgian charge de affaires in London on April 12, 1907, wrote: 'King Edward's visit made to his royal nephew in Carthagena had as its main object to try to strengthen the bonds which unite Spain with Great Britain and which diminish as much as possible German influence in Madrid.

"The ministers of Belgium confirmed this idea, writing on April 18, 1907:

"'The King of England's visit to the King of Spain is one maneuvre in the campaign for Germany's isolation.'

The Belgian minister at Berlin on May 30, 1907, said:

"'England ought to knowt hat a German attack even in the very remote future is actually impossible. On the contrary Germany has everything to fear.'

"Baron Greindl, the Belgium minister at Berlin, criticising under date of June 8, 1907, the English press campaign wrote:

"'The Times leads in the campaign of calumny and defamation. Its Berlin correspondent, who has every opportunity for obtaining better information, stirs up English hatred against the Germans by pretending that the imperial government has ambitious plans, whose illiness is manifest and by attributing to Germany's government dark intrigues of which it never has had a thought.'"

GOETHALS BELIEVES HIS WORK IN PANAMA ZONE COMPLETED.

Explanation Given for Resigning as Governor of the Zone.

New York, Aug. 9.—General George W. Goethals' resignation as governor of the Panama Zone, recently sent to Washington, designates November 1 as the date of his retirement, according to an announcement by him upon his arrival here today from Cristobal. He resigned because he believes his work in Panama is done now that the canal is operating satisfactorily.

General Goethals has spent seven years in Panama. Should his resignation as governor be accepted, he said today, he still will retain his commission in the army. He came to the United States in response to a summons to Washington where it is understood he will confer with officials on the national defense, especially with reference to the Canal Zone.

WILSON'S COURSE PRAISED.

International Typographical Union Adopts Resolutions.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 9.—Resolutions praising President Wilson's course in handling foreign complications were adopted today at the annual convention of the International Typographical Union.

W. A. Snyder, vice president of the general committee on arrangements, said the gross earnings of the members of the union during the year ending May 31, 1915, were $61,155,285, an increase of $104,493 over the previous year.

WILL ACT WITHOUT THE AID OF SWEDEN

America to Continue British Controversy Alone.

JOINT NOTE REJECTED

Swedish Proposal Was Concerted Protest by All Neutrals—German Sympathies in Sweden Believed Behind Move.

Washington, Aug. 9.—The United States will continue to act alone in representatives to Great Britain regarding neutral trade. Negotiations begun by the Swedish legation here looking to a concerted protest by neutrals have brought no results. The latest Swedish proposal contemplated identical notes of protest by neutrals. The State Department already had rejected a previous suggestion by Sweden for a joint note.

Some details of the Swedish position as to trade interference by Great Britain, it is said, are inconsistent with contentions of the American notes to London. Reports of strong German sympathies in Sweden also are believed to have been considered by the State Department.

The Swedish legation has been pressing the proposal vigorously. The first plan, contemplating joint protest was rejected on the ground that th eUnited States could not enter any agreement that might be interpreted as an entangling European alliance. On the new proposal for identical notes negotiations progressed to a point where the Swedish and American governments prepared tentative drafts of proposals to be sent to Great Britain but when Swedish proposals were submitted to the State Department they were found to be unsatisfactory in numerous details.

PRESIDENT HELPS MOTORISTS WHO ARE PINNED UNDER AUTO.

Had Started for Ride When His Machine Came Upon Car.

Cornish, N. H., Aug. 9.—President Wilson today helped free three automobilists from beneath their overturned car, and sent a detail of secret service men to take them to medical aid.

The accident occurred a short distance from the "Summer White House." The President had started for a ride with Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, his daughter, and Dr. Grayson. As their automobile rounded a curve they came upon the overturned machine and Mr. Wilson and Dr. Grayson hurried to investigate. They found Miss E. A. Swasy, Miss Emma Hathaway and C. C. Judd, all of Norwich, Vt., underneath the automobile badly bruised and frightened, but not seriously injured. Mr. Wilson directed the secret service men accompanying him to remain behind and render all assistance possible. Those in the overturned automobile did not recognize the President. The secret service men took them to Windsor, Vt., in another machine.

FAIL TO GET AMENDMENT.

Article for Conserving Timber in New York State Will Stand.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Representatives of lumber interests failed in their attempt in the constitutional convention today to amend the conservation article by permitting the cutting of mature timber in the forest preserves. An attempt to evict all persons who now occupy state lands illegally also failed. A compromise was effected, however, under which millionaire camp owners must reside in their camps the year round in order to retain their property if state authorities claim the land on which they stand.

VIRGINIA JURIST TO FACE GRAVE CHARGES

Inquiry of Legislative Committee is Delayed.

Judge Chichester is Alleged to Have Been Governed by Politics and to Have Drawn Two Salaries While Acting for Another.

Fredericksburg, Va., Aug. 9.—Failure of Delegate W. T. Oliver, of Fairfax, chairman of the legislative committee appointed to investigate charges of political corruption and domination against Judge R. H. L. Chichester, of the 15th judicial circuit, to arrive here today, caused postponement of the opening session until tomorrow morning.

Chairman Oliver left his home this morning in his motor car in ample time to reach Fredericksburg by noon, when the committee was to have met and started its probe. He had failed to arrive up to a late hour tonight and efforts by telephone and telegraph to locate him were unavailing.

Many witnesses for both sides are here and the inquiry may be in progress for several weeks.

Charges against Judge Chichester were made in the last legislature by Delegate Powell, of Spottsylvania county, who alleged that the jurist was governed by political consideration in making appointments; permitted attorneys to speculate in property under litigation; drew two salaries while sitting for another judge; gave judgments of a partisan and improper character and practiced nepotism.

RENEWED PROGRESS AGAINST RUSSIANS

Austro-Germans Are Gradually Contracting Armies.

ALLIES GAIN IN WEST

Claimed That British and French Captured Trenches at Hooge—Berlin Reports the Occupation of Praga by the Germans.

London, Aug. 9.—While the Austro-German armies made fresh progress against the Russians today, the conflict in the West swung in favor of the Allies. Sir John French reported that in a fierce artillery engagement, the British and French captured trenches at Hooge along a front of 1,200 yards.

The occupation of Praga, reported by Berlin, brings to a climax the first phase of the German drive eastward from Warsaw. Praga is essentially a part of the capital with great railway stations on the roads running to Petrograd and Moscow. Few details have been received of the final Russian stand at Praga, but indications are that withdrawal became imperative to escape from the German lines gradually drawing together in the rear.

Warsaw now is the apex of a vast letter V, the arms of which are the river Narew on the north and the vistula on the South. The German lines spread along these rivers are contracting gradually as the armies in the north and those in the South approach each other. The strip of territory across which the Russians may withdraw to safer positions now is hardly more than 30 miles across.

Besides this developing movement immediately east of Warsaw, Berlin reports a steady hammering at the great Russian fortresses of Kovno and Lomza, whose chief significance is their proximity to the lines of railway communications to Petrograd. Novogeorgievsk is the only place west of Warsaw at which a Russian garrison remains, and its fall seems imminent.

The attitude of the Poles towards the new German regime is arousing deep interest, for the occupation of Warsaw unites for the first time three branches of the Poles heretofore divided among Russia, Germany and Austria. Under the Russian regime Poland has been a hot bed of disorder and it remains to be seen whether control of this occupied territory will be as difficult a problem for Germany as it has been for Russia.

Berlins' official report characterized the operations around Hooge as "a battle," but Sir John French's later report shows them to have been another trench fight preceded by a severe artillery exchange. The Allies' success there has served to divert public attention temporarily from the magnitude of the German sweep in the East but operations in the West still lack general significance.

The commander of another submarine, whose na ne has not yet been disclosed, was reported today to have distinguished himself by sinking the Turkish battleship Khey-Ed-Din Barbarossa.

BULGARIA IS UNPLEDGED.

Correspondent Says She is Determined to Keep Hands Untied.

London, Aug. 10.—A protocol signed between Turkey and Bulgaria regarding the Dedeaghatch railway leaves Bulgaria unpledged as to her attitude in the European war, says a Times dispatch from Sofia. Bulgaria, the correspondent declares, is determined not to allow her hands to be tied.

The protocol is said to transfer to Bulgaria all Turkish territory west of the Maritza river. Turkey thus hopes to establish friendly relations with a

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PROTEST SHIPMENT OF MUNITIONS TO EUROPE

Resolutions by German-American Catholics.

Fund of $1,000 Suggested to Be Raised and Sent Pope for Carrying on His Work in European Belligerent Countries.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 9.—Resolutions endorsing the peace conference to be held in Chicago September 5 and 5 and recommending that the state and local organizations affiliated with the Central Verein send delegates to the meeting to protest against the shipment of war munitions to Europe, were adopted today by the National Federation of German-American Catholic societies in annual convention here.

"Every American citizen deplores the war," said President Joseph Frey, of New York, "and as American citizens they should protest against any activities by Americans which will have a tendency to prolong the war. This certainly is not a religious, political or national question."

Introducing Archbishop Bonzano, of Rome, apostolic delegate, President Frey sugested that a fund of $1,000 be raised and forwarded to Pope Benedict to aid in carrying on his work in the countries involved in the European war. Archbishop Bonzano approved the suggestion, adding that the Pope himself is a "war sufferer."

The work of the Central Verein was praised by Archbishop Ireland. Re-

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BOBO HAS ORDERED HIS MEN DISARMED

Renounces His Pretentions to Executive Power.

REPORTS ENCOURAGING

United States Will Require Complete Tranquility Before Steps to Elect Haitien President Are Taken. Protect Revenues.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Encouraging reports on conditions in Haiti were forwarded today by Rear Admiral Caperton: "Officials here for rapid progress toward restoring a permanent native government. General Bobo, the northern revolutionist, has arrived at Port au Prince, renounced his pretentions to executive power and ordered his soldiers disarmed and sent home. Bobo is a candidate for the presidency but has agreed to abide by the choice of the Congress. Similar assurances have been given by Mr. Bourand, another presidential aspirant."

When the election shall be held has not been determined, but the United States will require that complete tranquility prevail before any step is taken.

Secretary Lansing today explained the occupation of Haiti's customs houses. "The customs houses are being supervised by American authority," said he, "because a state of anarchy exists in the country. It is necessary that we should see to it that the customs revenues do not go where they do not belong."

No decision has been reached by this government as to any representations to be made to Haiti. Nothing will be done until a new government is established.

CAYOS CONTINUES REVOLT.

Has Refused Demand of American Consul to Disarm His Soldiers.

Cape Haitien, Aug. 9.—General Cayos, one of the leaders of the recent revolutionary movement, has refused the demand of the American consul that he disarm his men.

His forces are outside of Cape Haitien and are preventing the coming of supplies from the countryside to the city. Their purpose is to starve the population.

The officer in command of the American marines on shore has sent an ultimatum to all revolutionary chiefs insisting that the people of Haiti be permitted to pass freely wherever they want to.

PLAN NEW ORGANIZATION.

Proposals for National Body of Builders Made at Conference.

Pittsburg, Aug. 9.—Plans for a new national body comprising representatives from 40 national organizations of builders, which will have power to act for its members as distinct from the National Association of Builders Exchanges, were made at a conference here today. The meeting was held by H. L. Lewman, of Louisville, Ky., president of the National Association of Builders Exchanges. Representatives from New York, Chicago and other large cities were present. A substitute committee was chosen to work out details. Another conference probably will be held in Chicago in October.

One of the objects of the new organization, it was explained, will be to seek uniform state legislation affecting building operations.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 9. — William Schwartz, who for the past six years has managed the Nashville Southern Association club, announced tonight that he would retire from the game at the close of the present season. He said he desired to enter another business.

WORLD MARKETS OPEN BUT WE HAVEN'T SHIPS

American Merchant Marine an Imperative Need.

Judge Thomas Burke Addresses Federal Trade Commission at Seattle —Powerless to Go Further Without Vessels.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 9.—Building of the American merchant marine is an imperative need, Judge Thomas Burke, president of the Seattle chamber of commerce, told the Federal Trade Commission at the opening of a two days' hearing here today. Other witnesses supported Judge Burke's arguments.

"If this commission," said Judge Burke," can suggest to Congress legislation which will place American shipping on an equal basis with its competitors, it will be rendering a service of incalculable benefit to the citizens of the United States."

But one ship flying the American flag sails from Seattle, said Judge Burke, and soon this will be hauled down. He continued: "We are ready for business, but are powerless to go further without ships. The markets of the world are open to us as never before, but we cannot take advantage of these opportunities because we have no vessels in which to send our goods."

Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott Sees Villa At Juarez

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 9.—Major General Scott, chief of staff of the United States army, bearing a special commission from the State Department, conferred with General Villa today at Juarez. After his return here General Scott explained that the visit was merely an exchange of greetings, and was not part of the official conference which will begin tomorrow.

General Scott declined to discuss his mission.

General Scott crossed to Juarez in an automobile. On the Mexican side a line of cavalry was drawn up as his escort, and back of the line Villa and his aides were waiting in an automobile. The visit lasted about 20 minutes.

POSSIBILITY OF PEACE DISCUSSION IS TALKED

Mediation Might Stop the European Conflict

Rotterdam Paper Publishes Anonymous Article Which Says There Are Signs That International Hatred is Decreasing.

Rotterdam, (via London), Aug. 9.—There is much talk in Holland of the possibility of opening a peace discussion between the belligerents. The Courant publishes an article from an anonymous diplomatic source urging that an immediate peace might be possible if not easy and recommending that the press of neutral countries undertake the task of "mediation and reconciling and removing the errors."

The Dutch anti-war league, at a meeting last week at The Hague, adopted a resolution urging the Dutch government to call a conference of neutral powers in the interest of peace, the conference to sit until the end of the war for the purpose of preparing for and introducing mediation measures at the proper time."

The article in the Courant which has attracted wide attention in Holland says in part:

"Although the prospects of the Germanic powers now are better than they ever were before, they can not hope for a settlement by battle and therefore, wiser counsels may prevail. As to the British, it is not impossible that they ultimately will listen to the voice of reason. There is no reason why the opponents should offer conditions that would only profong the war unduly. There are increasing signs that international hatred is decreasing. In the not too distant future the peoples of Europe will demand to know how lond the war is still to last."

GEO. FITCH, AUTHOR, DEAD.

Was Taken Ill on Visit to Sister in California.

Berkeley, Cal., Aug. 9. — George Fitch, the author, of Peoria, Ills., died at a sanitarium here today after an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Fitch was taken ill Saturday. He had been visiting his sister, Miss R. Louise Fitch, who is a student in the University of California.

Mr. Fitch came to California early in July with Mrs. Fitch, who was with him at the time of his death. Arrangements have been made to take the body to Peoria for burial, after funeral services have been held here next Friday.

NEW TWELVE INCH SHELL.

Destructive Force Will be Tested Today by Naval Officers.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 9.—Anchored in shallow water near the mouth of the Potomac river, the monitor Puritan will tomorrow morning be fired on by the monitor Tallahassee, with one or more 12-inch shells. The range will be 500 yards. The firing is to prove the value of a newly invented 12-inch shell, which, it is claimed, has more destructive value that shells of similar calibre now in use in the American navy. The Tallahassee is commanded by Lieut. V. V. Woodward, and the firing will be witnessed by a number of naval officers and ordnance experts.

SEABOARD HAS NEW FINANCIAL PROGRAM

Compact, Enlarged and Improved System is the Aim.

NEW LINE TO SAVANNAH

Directors Authorize Creation of Blanket Mortgage for $300,000,000—Two Seaports and Considerable Mileage Added.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 9.—A special meeting of the directors of the Seaboard Air Line Railway was held in Baltimore today to take action upon a comprehensive financial plan worked out and proposed by the chairman of the board, S. Davies Warfield. As a result, it is stated that the financial structure of the railroad will be so remodeled as to enable it to secure the best financial results in the sale of its securities and the Seaboard and its tributaries will be welded into a compact, enlarged and improved system. In addition to the working out of the plan, Mr. Warfield has negotiated the sale and exchange of $22,893,000 bonds, thus carrying his plans into practical and immediate effect.

Mr. Warfield's program, which was adopted by the directors, is far-reaching in its results. It includes the addition to the system by consolidation of considerable new mileage, chiefly main line, adding two additional seaports, and secures as a result a second track over an important part of the system. The plan simplifies the financial side and will permit the fullest development of the property. The company will execute a mortgage authorizing an issue of $300,000,000 bonds of which there will now be issued $25,643,000 series "A", $2,750,000 of which will be retained in the treasury.

Plans Outlined.

Announcement of these plans is made in a statement issued after the directors' meeting by Chairman S. Davies Warfield, as follows:

"The financial requirements of the Seaboard Air Line for the present and future have been provided for:

"First—By creating a physical railroad structure in the enlarged Seaboard system far-reaching in its benefits to the South and to the railroad ,and as a result greater economies in operations.

"Second—A mortgage thereon securing bonds issuable in series which may be of varying maturities and interest and redemption rates, providing a security meeting investors' requirements and ensuring to the railroad the best results under changing financial conditions; and,

"Third—By the sale of bonds under the new mortgage for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, of great importance to the welfare of the railroad, and of the holders of its securities.

Consolidations.

"The Seaboard Air Line Railway will be consolidated with the Carolina, Atlantic & Western Railway under the corporate name of the Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. The Carolina, Atlantic & Western railway is a recent consolidation of the North & South Carolina; Charleston Northern and South Carolina Western railroads, operating a total of 416 miles. The Carolina, Atlantic & Western Railway recently acquired the Georgetown & Western Railroad, operating from Lanes to Georgetown, S. C., and from Andrews to the Pee Dee river, S. C., a distance of 70 miles. The Charleston Northern Railway is the line recently completed connecting the North & South Carolina Railroad with the city of Charleston, giving the Seaboard Air Line entrance into Charleston and now becoming a part of the main line of the consolidated system. The new terminals at Charleston are admirable both as to location and facilities.

New Line to Savannah.

"The line will be extended from Charleston to Savannah by the immediate construction of 85 miles of railroad with maximum grade of only three-tenths of one per cent. This new line will also become part of the main line of the consolidated system.

"This will give the Seaboard Air Line Railway Company, the new company growing out of the consolidation of the above mentioned properties, a low grade line from Hamlet, N. C., to Savannah, Ga. By this new line, the Seaboard will reach Georgetown, S. C., Charleston, S. C., and Savannah, Ga., will tap a rich and fertile territory, highly productive in cotton and tobacco, will admit of the Seaboard's running time to the South being shortened, will create a line with maximum grade of only one-half of one per cent, as compared with one and one-half per cent, the maximum grade of the present line to Savannah, and which will permit the increase of the full train load 127 1-2 per cent. In effect this will give the Seaboard, through South Carolina, from Hamlet, N. C., to Savannah, Ga., two lines (the other line running via Columbia) each one self-supporting in its own territory, and thus will be obviated the necessity of double-tracking the Hamlet-Columbia line, where traffic is being congested. The territory to be opened up between Charleston and Savannah is generally well adapted to the growing of vegetables, corn, rice and Sea Island cotton and will put the Seaboard immediately into Charleston's heaviest vegetable production section.

$300,000,000 New Mortgage.

"The Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. (the new company) will have its first and consolidated mortgage securing an authorized issue of $300,000,000 variable interest rate and maturity bonds. This mortgage will be immediately a first lien on the 416 miles of main line track between Hamlet and Savannah, via Charleston, Lanes and Georgetown, S. C., and on the lines running from McBee, S. C., located on the Hamlet-Columbia line to Florence, Poston, Sumter and Timmonsville, S. C. There will be pledged as collateral under the new mortgage a majority ($22,361,000) of the outstanding 4 per cent refund-

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Baseball Boating Yachting Angling

SPORTS

Motoring Aeronautics Tennis Golf, Etc.

ST. LOUIS TAKES THREE OF BALTIMORE SERIES

Chicago's Brilliant Fielding Beats Brooklyn.

Newark Made Four Straight Victories by Defeating Kanfeds Twice Chase's Home Run Wins for Buffalo.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Newark 4-4, Kansas City 0-2.
At Buffalo 6, Pittsburg 3.
At Brooklyn 1, Chicago 2.
At Baltimore 0, St. Louis 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Pittsburg at Baltimore.
Chicago at New York.
Kansas City at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Buffalo.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Newark	56	44	.560
Chicago	57	45	.559
Pittsburg	55	44	.556
Kansas City	56	45	.554
St. Louis	54	47	.535
Buffalo	47	57	.452
Brooklyn	47	58	.448
Baltimore	35	67	.343

Newark, Aug. 9.—Newark made it four straight victories by defeating Kansas City twice today. Manager Stovall protested the first game, claiming Rariden interfered with his batters by touching their bats.

Kansas City	.000 000 000—0	5	3
Newark	.012 000 10*—4	8	0

Henning, Johnson, Brown; Moran and Rariden.

Second game:

Kansas City	.011 000 000—2	8	3
Newark	.010 020 001—4	6	0

Main, Easterly; Billiards, Kaiserling, and Rariden.

Baltimore, Aug. 9.—St. Louis made it three out of four by taking today's game 3 to 0. Plank scored his second shut out of the series. Rain stopped the game at the end of the eighth.

St. Louis	.020 010 00—3	8	1
Baltimore	.000 000 00—0	4	3

Plank and Chapman; Quinn and Owens.

Brooklyn, Aug. 9.—Chicago defeated Brooklyn today 2 to 1 through brilliant fielding. Hendrix was hit freely, but was saved in the pinches by fine stops and line catches, three fast double plays featuring.

Chicago	.100 000 010—2	9	0
Brooklyn	.000 000 001—1	11	1

Dendrix and Fischer; Finneran, Upham and H. Smith.

Buffalo, Aug. 9.—Hal Chase's home run in the eighth with the bases full won for Buffalo today 6 to 3. Pittsburgh's 11 hits were well scattered.

Pittsburg	.002 000 010—3	11	1
Buffalo	.000 000 06*—6	7	1

Dickson, Knetzer and O'Connor; Schulz, Anderson, Bedient and Blair, Allen.

LUMBERTON DEFEATS RAEFORD ON WET GROUNDS AT FAYETTEVILLE

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 9.—Lumberton and Raeford, of the Eastern Carolina amateur league, played here today to a crowd which was small on account of the stormy aspect of the weather. Rain fell just before the game which made the playing slow on account of wet grounds but it was good for amateurs.

The score was 11 to 1 in favor of Lumberton. Raeford was not outclassed but played with little spirit.

Lumebrton	.111 102 023—11		
Raeford	.000 001 000—1		

Cavaniss and Kribbs; Newton, Poole and Smith.

Features—Double play by Raeford; playing of Bailey in centerfield for Raeford and one-hand catch by Emery, of Lumberton.

FAVORITES WERE BEATEN IN THREE GRAND RAPIDS EVENTS.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Aug. 9.—Favorites were beaten in all three events in the opening programme of the grand circuit harness races here this afternoon. Hard fought heats and whipping finishes were the rule. The weather was perfect.

The feature event, the 2:14 trot for the Grand Rapids railway stake of $3,000, was won by Miss Directed, an outsider. Mirthful, a heavily played favorite, won only one heat, the third; Lettie Lee, also heavily played to win, came in for third money.

MINOR LEAGUES

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At Cleveland 4; Kansas City 5.
At Columbus 5; Minneapolis 4 (10 in.)
At Louisville 2; St. Paul 3; (15 in.)
At Indianapolis 5; Milwaukee 1.

CAROLINA LEAGUE.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Charlotte 5; Greensboro 2.
At Winston 8; Asheville 5.
At Raleigh 0; Durham 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Asheville	18	11	.621
Durham	17	13	.567
Raleigh	16	14	.533
Winston-Salem	14	16	.467
Greensboro	12	17	.414
Charlotte	12	18	.400

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Portsmouth 3; Petersburg 2.
At Rocky Mount 4; Norfolk 1.
At Newport News 1; Suffolk 4.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Suffolk	23	15	.603
Portsmouth	21	17	.553
Norfolk	20	17	.541
Rocky Mount	19	17	.528
Newport News	18	18	.500
Orphans	10	27	.270

POOR PITCHING GAVE GAME TO WHITE SOX

St. Louis Was Unable to Score on Boston.

New York and Cleveland Were Tied When Rain Stopped Game in Sixth Senators Were Losers to Detroit in Hard Game.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Boston 2, St. Louis 0.
At Philadelphia 4, Chicago8.
At New York 1; Cleveland 1.
At Washington 7, Detroit 5.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New oYrk.
St. Louis at Boston.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	62	34	.646
Detroit	62	39	.614
Chicago	60	40	.600
Washington	54	47	.535
New York	47	48	.495
St. Louis	39	60	.394
Cleveland	37	59	.385
Philadelphia	33	67	.330

Washington, Aug. 9.—Veach's double, Burns' single and Young's triple with two out in the 13th inning gave Detroit two runs and a 5 to 3 victory over Washington today. In Washington's half inning Gandil doubled, Kopp walked and Williams moved them up with a sacrifice, but McBride fanned and Walter Johnson, batting for Ayres, flied out to Veach.

Detroit	.000 003 000 0002—5	8	5
Washington	.120 000 000 0000—3	12	2

Dauss and Stanage and Baker; Boehling, Ayres and Henry.

Boston, Aug. 9.—Boston won from St. Louis today 2 to 0 in a game called at the end of the eighth because of rain. A scheduled second game was postponed. Foster kept St. Louis' hits well scattered.

St. Louis	.000 000 00—0	8	1
Boston	.000 002 00—2	6	1

Wellman, Koob and Agnew; Foster and Cady and Thomas.

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—Unsteady pitching gave Chicago a big lead in the first three innings today and Philadelphia was easily defeated.

Chicago	.411 000 020—8	12	0
Philadelphia	.000 000 103—4	9	5

Faber and Schalk; Nabors and Lapp.

New York, Aug. 9.—New York and Cleveland played a short 1 to 1 tie here today, the game being terminated in the sixth inning by rain. Kirke scored Cleveland's run with a home run.

Cleveland	.010 000—1	3	1
New York	.000 10*—1	4	2

Mitchell and Egan; Caldwell and Nunamaker.

ROCKY MOUNT DEFEATS NORFOLK IN A GAME WITHOUT AN ERROR

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 9.—Four to one was the windup of a well played game in which the Tar Heels chased off with the big end against the Norfolk club this afternoon. Despite weather conditions that were far from auspicious, both clubs performed errorlessly and a perfect fielding exhibition was characterized by frequent sensational plays in which Steinberger for the visitors and Goostree for the Down Homers claimed the honors of their respective clubs. Foiles at first base for the visitors took 16 of the 24 put outs made by his club. Craft lacked effectiveness in the pinches and connected hits worked his undoing, while Teague was as steady as a clock and never once allowed two safe thumps within an inning.

Norfolk	.010 000 000—1	5	0
Rocky Mount	.003 000 01*—4	10	0

Craft and Stewart; Teague and Ryan. Umpire, McGowan.

HAMLET DEFEATS ALBEMARLE IN SLOW BUT INTERESTING GAME

Hamlet, N. C., Aug. 9.—Hamlet defeated Albemarle in a slow but interesting game, by a score of 5 to 4. Davis for Hamlet pitched star ball throughout the entire game. Fisher for the visitors was knocked out in the first. Morrow, who relieved him, pitched good ball.

Hamlet		5	7
Albemarle		4	6

Batteries: Hamlet, Davis and Thompson; Albemarle, Fisher, Morrow and Efird.

Same teams play at Hamlet tomorrow and Red Springs plays here Friday.

SEABOARD HAS NEW FINANCIAL PROGRAM

(Continued from Page One.)

ing bonds of the Seaboard Air Line Railway.

"There will be presently issued under the new first and consolidated mortgage $22,893,000 of 6 per cent, 30-year gold bonds; part are to be used in exchange for underlying bonds of constituent properties, the balance has been sold, the proceeds to be used for the construction of the new line from Charleston to Savannah; for the retirement of equipment trust obligations falling due during the year ending June 30, 1916; for the retirement of the $6,000,000 three-year notes due March 1, 1916; for the acquisition of certain new property; for improvements and betterments, etc.

"It was believed to be to the best interests of the property to make immediate arrangements for the near future as well as present financial requirements. In the financing of the nations at war interest rates have already materially increased, necessitating the procuring of large amounts of money for American enterprises on an increasing interest basis.

"Subject to the carrying out of agreements for the exchange of bonds of the underlying railway properties to be consolidated with the Seaboard Air Line Railway, arrangements have been made for the sale of the bonds of this issue (Series A) as above stated."

After the Day's Work,
Lumina, the greatest place on the coast. Children's souvenir dance tonight. (advertisement.)

CINCINNATI WINS IN 12 INNING CONTEST

Brooklyn Shuts Out Cubs with Thirteen Runs.

Cutshaw, of Brooklyn, Tied World's Record in Batting—Boston Checked Losing Streak and Defeated St. Louis.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Pittsburg-New York, rain.
At Chicago 0, Brooklyn 3.
At Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 4.
At St. Louis 2, Boston 6.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Boston at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburg.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	52	44	.542
Brooklyn	55	48	.534
New York	49	47	.510
Chicago	50	49	.505
Boston	51	50	.505
Pittsburg	50	49	.505
St .Louis	49	55	.471
Cincinnati	43	57	.430

Cincinnoti, Aug. 9.—In an uphill fight which lasted 12 innings, Cincinnati won from Philadelphia today 5 to 4. The locals found Demaree's weak spot in the sixth with the score 4 to 0 against them and forced his retirement in the seventh.

Philadelphia	.201 001 000 000—4	8	2
Cincinnati	.000 002 200 001—5	14	4

Demaree, Mayer and Killifer; McKenry, Dale, Schneider and Clarke.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—George Cutshaw, second baseman for Brooklyn, today tied the world's record held by Clarence Beaumont, of Pittsburg, by making six consecutive hits in as many times at bat in the game against Chicago. Brooklyn shut out the locals 13 to 0, making a total of 23 hits off Pierce and Standridge. Chicago got only two hits. Not a man walked on either side and no sacrifices were made.

Brooklyn	.010 045 120—13	23	1
Chicago	.000 000 000— 0	2	2

Pfeffer and McCarty; Pierce, Standridge and Archer and Hargrave.

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—Boston checked its losing streak today by defeating St. Louis 6 to 2. Dolan's error in the first gave the world champions a three run lead which St. Louis could not overcome.

Boston	.200 110 010—6	14	1
St. Louis	.000 020 000—2	10	1

Dudolph and Gowdy; Sallee, Griner and Snyder and Gonzales.

THEATRICAL

This morning at 8 o'clock the Bijou girls are due to arrive at Los Angeles, and thence go direct to Universal City, "The City of Make-Believe," where Universal movies are made. In honor of the event the Bijou has booked for today a tremendously interesting feature, a two-reel Nestor comedy, which gives the entire details of the inside dope on making Universal movies. So Wilmingtonians will see today on the screen the same things that the Bijou girls will see in reality.

It is a screaming comedy, and would be a big feature anyway, but it is so arranged that it shows the making of the picture from beginning to end, taking the spectators "Behind the Screen" which by the way, is the name of it. It features all those great Nestor comedy stars, Eddie Lyons, Victoria Forde, Lee Moran, with Director Al Christie, and is a feature no one should miss.

Beautiful Mary Fuller also appears on today's bill in a great feature drama, "Jeanne of the Woods," a big drama of the outdoors, which especially suits gifted Mary Fuller and her costars.

Then there is a great Joker comedy, "The Signal of the Three Socks", another Detective Duck comedy, featuring Max Asher and Gail Henry, and also a great Pathe scream.

At the Grand Today.

A well pleased audience packed the Grand yesterday to see David Belasco's greatest dramatic effort "The Rose of the Rancho," in five parts, released through the Paramount programme.

Today another great programme is offered, just as it is every day, because the Grand is showing the best pictures in the city. Come and see for yourself, nothing like a personal inspection to convince you. The Counter Intrigue," an Essanay three-reel drama, is the feature for today. It's melodramatic in theme. This three-reel photoplay, by Edward T. Lowe, Jr., comes highly recommended from every point of view. The story is gripping, well within the bounds of possibility, and the acting of Beverly Bayne, Sydney Ainsworth, John Cossar and John Throne equal to all demands.

"Stolen Case" is a one-reel comedy by the Mina company, and, as you know this company is coming to the front in producing good, clean comedies, there will be no need to go into details to explain the plot. It's just a bunch of nonsense that will make you scream and drive away the blues. So don't fail to visit the Grand this very day.

Thursday the Paramount company will offer a high class western drama featuring Mr. William S. Hart.

Friday, the fourth installent of the serial beautiful, "The Goddess," featuring beautiful Anita Stewart and handsome Earle Williams.

ADD NEWED WD WDO WDODO NU TURKISH WARSHIP SUNK

Work of Sumarine, the Nationality of Which is Not Stated.

Constantinople, Aug. 9.—The Turkish batiteship Kheyr-EdDin Barbarossa of 9,900 tons displacement, formerly the German warship Kurfurst Friedrich Wilhelm, has been sunk by a submarine according to an official announcement issued today by the Turkish government.

A majority of the officers and men composing the crew of the battleship was saved.

Armenians in Trenches Against the Turks.

One of the bloodiest battles of the war was fought in the far off city of Van in Asia, between the Armenians and the Turks. The former are here shown in the "Gardens," just without the city. These Armenians sided with the Allies in the war against their old persecutors and have been valiant fighters in the effort to help the Allies drive the Turks from Europe.

In this battle the losses of the Turks were so great that they had to give up the siege of the city. This photograph shows the Armenians fighting in the same way the war is conducted in France and Belgium between the Allies and the Germans. They advanced beyond the city and threw up trenches to await the charges of the Turks.

HUNDREDS OF FIREMEN ALREADY IN NEWBERN

Ready for the Annual State Tournament Beginning Today

Fifteen Hose Wagon Teams on Hand Last Night—Several Companies Have Their Own Tents Along—McNeill on Hand.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., Aug. 9.— All day the firemen who are to participate in the State firemen's tournament, which begins here tomorrow, have been arriving and there are now seven or eight hundred visitors in the city and others are coming in on the late trains.

The early part of the day was extremely hot and the visitors who brought along tents in which they will do their eating, sleeping and cooking, were of the opinion that this city was akin to the heart of the torrid zone, especially so while they were engaged in erecting their canvas homes. There are already fifteen hose wagon teams on the scene and several grab reel teams and the others who are to participate are expected at midnight.

President James D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, has spent the day arranging the final details for the business session to be held at the court house tomorrow morning, and stated tonight that he believes the tournament this year will be one of the most successful ever held.

Newbernians are doing everything possible for the entertainment of the visitors and are seeing to it that they enjoy their visit here.

ON TO NEWBERN.

Twentieth for Chief Schnibben—Many Attend from Wilmington.

Several members of the Wilmington Fire Department are attending the North Carolina Firemen's Association at Newbern this week. This is the 20th time Fire Chief Schnibben has attended meetings of the association, which has honored him by electing him State Treasurer of the organization.

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Those going, beside Chief Chas. Schnibben, are Messrs. J. L. Croom, J. F. Hart, C. N. Rivenbark, R. S. Liles, L. H. Lewis, A. J. Burriss and Mr. T. G. Williams, superintendent of fire alarm.

BELGIAN COMMISSION ALLEGES VIOLATION INTERNATIONAL LAW

Cites Attempts of Germans to Force Belgians to Work for Military.

Paris, Aug. 9.—A report of the Belgian commission investigating violations of the international law, issued today by the Belgian legation here, alleges violations by the Germans of Article 52 of the fourth Hague convention. Examples cite alleged attempts by offering high wages and finally by force to compel Belgian civilians to work in arsenals, on railways used for military purposes and in wire factories. The report gives details of alleged violations at Luttre, Malines, and Swevedhem. It quotes the text of an order declared to have been signed by Lieutenant General Count von Westarf, the German commander at Ghent, dated June 10, as follows:

"The attitude of certain factories, which, under the pretext of patriotism, relying on the Hague convention refuse to work for the German army, proves that among the population there is an inclination to raise difficulties for the administration of the German army. In this connection, I inform you that I will suppress such maneuvers by all means in my power."

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Umpire E. C. Quigley was injured painfully when a gas stove exploded in the umpires' quarters of the National League baseball park this afternoon. He was resting easy tonight and it was said he would be back in the game in a week or ten days.

There is a great satisfaction derived from a clean shave, but when you apply AMMEN'S PRICKLY HEAT & BABY POWDER after shaving, it adds comfort from the fact that it prevents the sweat glands from being irritated and keeps the skin perfect. Price 25 cents at your druggist.

A FALSE STANDARD OF CULTURE has gained ground in this century which looks upon the bearing and rearing of children as something coarse and vulgar and to be avoided, but the advent of Eugenics means much for the motherhood of the race. Happy is the wife who, though weak and ailing, depends upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore her to health, and when headaches and backaches are a thing of the past, brave sons and fair daughters rise up and call her blessed.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EAST-

ern District of North Carolina, ss.:

In the United States District Court in and for said District—Wilmington Division.

In the matter of S. Saseen, Voluntary Bankrupt. No 225 In Bankruptcy. Petition for Discharge:

To the Honorable H. G. Connor, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina:

S. Saseen, of Laurinburg, in the County of Scotland and State of North Carolina, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 13th day of May, 1915, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requiremepts of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts payable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are exempted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1915.

S. SASEEN, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

Eastern District of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, s. s.:

On this 10th day of August, 1915, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

Ordered by the Court, That a hearing be had upon the same on the 10th day of September, 1915, before Geo. H. Howell, Special Master of said court, at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, at 12:00 o'clock noon; and that notice thereof be published in Wilmington Star, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court That the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residences as stated.

Witness the Honorable H. G. Connor, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, on the 10th day of August, 1915, A. D.

Attest:

ALEX. L. BLOW, Clerk.

(Seal of Court.)

By S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk.

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GRAND
TODAY

DOUGHTON WILL ENTER RACE AGAINST CARTER

Will Surely be Candidate for Attorney General

Former Lieutenant Governor and Brother Congressman From the Eighth is No Longer Undecided as to Course.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 9.—Hon. R. A. Doughton will be a candidate in the Democratic primaries in 1916 for attorney general, to succeed Attorney General T. W. Bickett, who is in the race with Hon. E. L. Daughtridge for the governorship. This can be stated positively now after several weeks of uncertainty and after the situation has been thoroughly canvassed in the recent annual meeting of the North Carolina Bar Association at Asheville.

It is expected that the definite and formal announcement of Mr. Doughton's candidacy will be given out here within the next day or two. Anyway, whatever the delay in the announcement may be, the direct and positive statement that he is to get in the race is at hand.

With Mr. Doughton coming into the contest, it is considered not at all likely that there will be any other candidate to enter for attorney general, thus leaving the field to Mr. Doughton and Judge Frank Carter, of Asheville, who announced his candidacy several months ago, declaring that he would seek in this way to secure from the people vindication in the matter of the charges made against him in the last Legislature that were partially sustained by the legislative investigating commission of which Mr. Doughton was chairman.

There is a high degree of satisfaction among State officers and politicians here now that Mr. Doughton will enter the race.

Mr. Doughton was at the Bar Association meeting in Asheville and was importuned on all sides, it is said, to get into the primary campaign, the generally expressed conviction being, it is declared, that the nomination will be his almost for the asking.

His friends say he is not making any fight whatever against Judge Carter. They are insisting that the Carter candidacy has no relation whatever to party politics and is purely a personal move on the part of the judge, who, many of them insist, has been ill advised by some friends and, possibly, some designing ones really in heart at least outside the party, who would be glad to stir whatever dissension within the ranks it is possible to stir without their direct and known activity.

Indeed, there are those who freely express the opinion that the Carter candidacy will be withdrawn after a "sober second thought" and that the judge will go right on with his judicial duties to the end of his term and then, with the sensational stir that the legislative affair created well behind them, the judge and the people will be in position to clear the whole matter most sanely.

There is also the candidacy of Mr. T. H. Calvert, the present assistant attorney general ,who all along has made it clear that if he does actually stand for the nomination it will be by reason of personal approval of his candidacy by a goodly portion of the members of the legal profession in the State, his insistance being that the office of attorney general is peculiarly one in which the preferences of the lawyers should have much weight.

Mr. Calvert is moving in this candidacy, he says, without any agreement whatever with his chief, Attorney General Bickett, who is in the midst of his campaign for governor. The duties of the attorney generalship, he says, are especially attractive to him and in line with work that he has been prosecuting with the commendation of the profession in this State for a number of years and it is for this reason that he determined to seek the office at the hands of his party if a sufficient number of his fellow lawyers approve his candidacy in such terms as will pledge their support. Mr. Calvert has not yet announced his candidacy and, while he does not express himself as to this personally, there has been strong reason to infer that if Mr. Doughton entered the race Mr. Calvert would not offer as a candidate at all.

Schedule B Taxes Due.

Sheriff S. P. Cowan is making a special appeal through newspaper advertising, especially to those at the beach, to boarding houses, cigarette dealers, soda fountains, real estate dealers, second hand clothing dealers and all others liable under this schedule, to pay up before the 16th of this month, after which date he says warrants will be issued for the collection.

FOUND DEAD ON A. C. L. TRACK

Henry Creech Supposed to Have Been Struck by Train While Asleep at Contentnea.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, Aug. 9.—Henry Creech, a young white man, of Selma, about 18 years of age, was found dead on the Atlantic Coast Line tracks at Contentnea Junction, a little before 6 o'clock this morning. It is supposed he was killed by a passenger train due here about 4 o'clock. Creech and Lester White and John Hart were beating their way from Norfolk to Selma.

They were at the junction waiting for a train late last night. White and Hart went out in the woods to sleep and left their companion sitting on the tracks watching for a train. It is supposed that he fell asleep. When his companions got to him about 6 o'clock this morning he was found fatally injured. They called for help at once.

Creech has a brother in Selma, who is a merchant ,and he was notified of the accident this morning. An inquest will not be held. White's father is a prominent cotton mill man of Selma. There is not suspicion at all attached to the boys, White and Hart.

For the past month or six weeks Wilson has been bothered with a great many hoboes. During the month of July about 40 were sentenced in the mayor's court. This is the first fatality which has resulted, however, from the practice of beating trains.

Rev. J. C. Shive Resigns.

At the morning service yesterday, Rev. J. C. Shive, pastor of the Wilson Presbyterian church, handed in his resignation to his congregation, to take effect September 1. The church has not acted upon it, but it is very likely that it will be accepted in deference to Mr. Shive's wishes. The pastor has accepted a position with Davidson college. He will become chaplain and field secretary of that institution, and will reside at Davidson.

Mr. Shive with his wife and daughter have lived in Wilson for the past five and one-half years. They are held in the highest esteem, by not only the Presbtyerians of the town, but by the entire citizenship of Wilson.

Charters Issued

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 9.—The following new corporations were chartered today by the secretary of State:

The Carolina Amusement Co., Wilmington, capital $25,000 authorized and $500 subscribed by G. C. McIntyre, C. B. Newcomb and Fred N. Hale, the latter of Dunn. The company will do a moving picture and other theatrical and general amusement business.

The Forsyth Clover Cutter Co., of Oldtown, Forsyth county, capital $5,000 subscribed by L. C. Hines, Reynolds Estate, H. W. Johnson, P. L. Holland and others.

The Eureka Mining Co., of High Point, capital $50,000 authorized and $10,500 subscribed by D. E. Hammer, E. A. Hammer and others for a general mining business.

The Mary Elizabeth Hospital Co., of Raleigh, capital $25,000 authorized and $300 subscribed by Dr. W. H. Glascock, Dr. A. R. Tucker and Jessie Lee Glascock for general medical, surgical and osteopathic treatment.

A Glimpse of Storm's Effect on Erie.

More than 40 persons were killed and more injured in the storm and flood which swept through Erie, Pa., Tuesday, August 3. This photograph shows the damage done one building. Many more were left in the same condition.

YOUNG MAN IS KILLED AT BROWN'S LANDING

W. W. Dennis, of Swannsboro, Crushed to Death.

Caught in Machinery 80 Feet Above the Ground While at Work and Fatally Injured—Dies in Less Than an Hour.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Elizabethtown, N. C., Aug. 9.—A very sad death occurred this afternoon at 4 30 o'clock at Brown's Landing, near here, where the government locks are under construction, when Mr. W. W. Dennis, of Swansboro, while working 80 feet above the ground adjusting parts of the machinery on the cableway which spans the Cape Fear river, was caught in part of the machinery and severely crushed.

Dr. Liles, of this place, was called to the aid of the young man, and reached him in less than 30 minutes, but the victim was dying from shock and internal hemorrhages and did not respond to stimulants. He died in less than 10 minutes after his arrival.

Mr. Dennis was a bright young man and was held in high esteem by both employes and fellow workmen.

MEAT PRICES INCREASE.

Great Advances Disclosed in Report of London Central Market.

London, Aug. 9.—Great increases in the meat prices are disclosed in the report of the superintendent of the London Central Market, issued tonight. It shows the supply of meats of all kinds for July, 1915, at the market totaled 29,702 tons, as compared with 36,533 tons in July, 1914. The price of fresh beef increased 43 per cent, while that of frozen beef increased 74 per cent. Fresh mutton increased 13 per cent and frozen mutton 50 per cent.

Children's Souvenir Dance
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(Advertisement.)

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SCHEDULE B TAXES

All Boarding Houses, Beach and City Cigarette Dealers, Soda Fountains, Real Estate Dealers, Second-Hand Clothing Dealers and all others liable under this schedule are notified to make immediate payment; otherwise warrants will be issued to collect same on Monday, August 16th, 1915.

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(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 9.—As the family of Mr. L. E. Whaley was returning from an auto ride about 8 o'clock last night when passing the National Cotton Mills, a little girl jumped into the road ahead of the car, looking at her shadow from the light of the car. Mr. Elwood Whaley stopped the car as quickly as possible, but not until the little girl had been struck on the head by one of the lights with sufficient force to break the light. The car passed nearly over the body but neither wheel touched her, and a physician, who was hastily called, said the victim was not injured at all.

BLOCKADE OUTFIT FOUND.

Still Found Within Two Miles of Robeson Court House.

(Special Star Telegram.)

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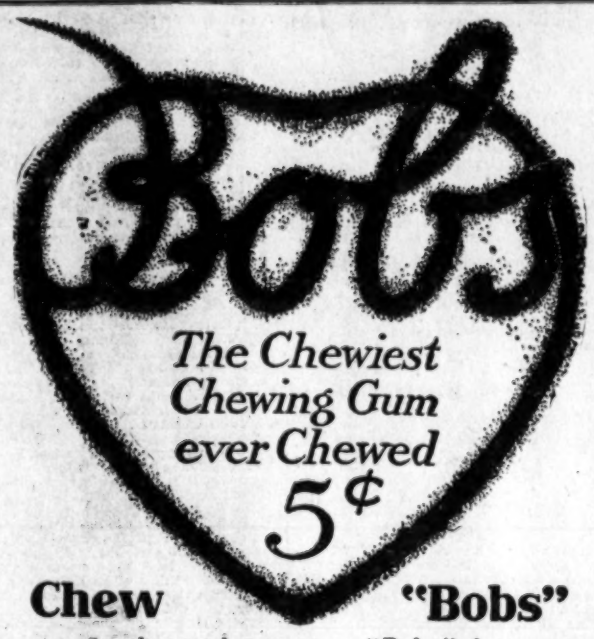

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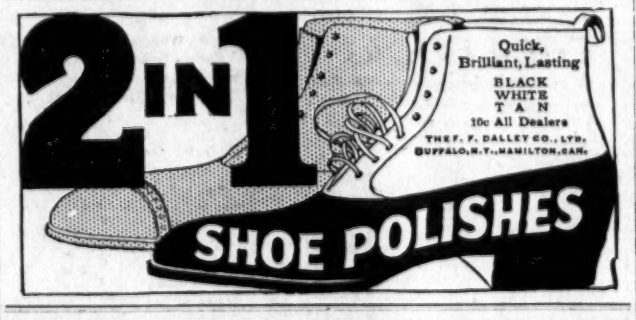

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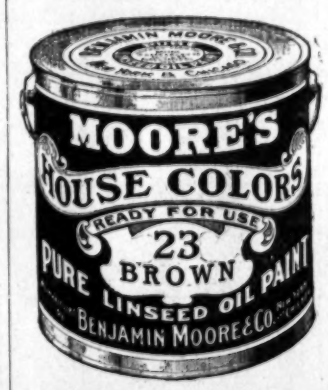

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TOP O' THE MORNING

On the banks of the Niagara river, where the rapids begin to swell and swirl and preparatory to their final plunge, is a signboard which bears a most startling legend. "Past Redemption Point," it reads. To read it, even while one feels the firm soil under his feet, sends a shiver of horror through his soul, as he looks off upon the turbulent waters and realizes the full significance of the sign.

One who passes that point cannot retrace his way, cannot be rescued by friends.

—S. S. CHRONICLE.

Calling the kettle black appears to be a game at which all the belligerents can play.

Here's hoping as well as knowing that those Rotarians in Raleigh today are going to make the welkin ring.

Old Carranza says he is at last willing to heed the voice of reason. But it had to be shouted through a megaphone.

Down in Georgia they are not through discussing the Leo Frank case yet. And they have a session of the Legislature underway there, too.

"All shirts off," reads a clothing advertisement. And those who continue to be "penned up" during the heated period fully appreciate the spirit and words of the admonition.

Over in Atlanta they issue statements in the newspapers and hold mass meetings just like it was Raleigh or Wilmington, which argues that Atlanta isn't so much bigger after all.

More demonstration agents have been put on by many North Carolina counties in August. That looks good in spite of the fact that we don't know what the farm products are going to bring.

The Haitiens, we note, have postponed their election of a president for a few days. Owing to the uncertainty of getting registrars and poll-holders, we suppose it is well that they have done so.

Newbern has swung wide its gates to the North Carolina firemen this week. No better town in the State and no more valuable organization of men in Carolina could have been met in this combination.

Up in Red Springs, Lumberton, Raeford and elsewhere they're playing baseball and whooping it up for the "home team" like there had never been such a thing as the European war. And why not?

A Petrograd dispatch tells us that the Russians are organizing their industries. Better late than never, but we have a faint suspicions they'll be busy for some time yet organizing their armies all over again.

The Japs appear to have composed their internal differences for the present at least. They doubtless realize that the present is fraught with too many possibilities to warrant serious division in the present world crisis.

An exchange of Russian and German prisoners of war is about to be arranged. We shouldn't wonder if the Kaiser would listen to a basis of something like two for one in view of the condition of the commissary department.

The chief fault we have to find with those Austro-Germans who are invading Poland is that they are not changing names of cities as frequently as the belligerents were adopting simplified spelling in the earlier stages of the war.

The Savannah News notes that China is working strenuously for "preparedness" but remarks that it is a case of locking the stable door after the horse is stolen, for China's horse is already in Japanese hands. And they seem not to have overlooked the goat while they were "pottering" around the horse lot.

MECHANICAL UNPREPAREDNESS.

One of the secrets of Germany's phenomenal success thus far in the European war was recently ascribed by a British military authority to the marvellous organization of its industries. It was pointed out that with the sea channels of the world open to them, the Allies had suffered far more because of the lack of munitions and supplies than had the central empires, which were and are practically cut off from the rest of the world, and this lack of a proper organization of its resources was described as little less than unexcusable on the part of the governments of the Allies.

A discussion of this subject in relation to the belligerents, has well prompted the inquiry in this country as to how well are our industries organized with reference to the government, and "The American Machinist" (New York) has prepared some interesting data and made some pertinent inquiries as to this phase of our preparations now for National defense. If war should come it asks who would make our ammunition? At present our army depends wholly on the government arsenals, the Frankford Arsenal being the only one in the country fitted to make field ammunition. It turned out in 1913 only 36,184 shells, averaging three-inch size, which The Machinist says is about enough to last 15 minutes in an up-to-date battle. In 1914, by running three shifts a day, they ran the total up to 102,818 shells, which possibly might last an hour, but no longer. Mr. John H. Van Deventer, who writes the article in "The American Machinist," would have this question of munitions and supplies made paramount in our plans for National defense, and the need of it he emphasizes in the following language:

"If we should ever have a war, you and I will want our country to win. And if we should be defeated, or if the war should be unduly prolonged simply because those in authority neglected to organize our industrial resources properly, we would hold them guilty of gross incompetence. If, knowing these facts to be true, we do not preach the doctrine of common-sense preparedness, we ourselves are guilty of gross neglect.

"Your Congressman is not a mechanic. It is unlikely that he knows the difference between a lathe and a planer. He has no conception of the time required to transform a plant from an established to a new product. He doesn't realize that one field gun can easily fire in one day all of the shells that 300 mechanics can produce in a week. He doesn't know that it is impossible to expand a few arsenals suddenly to a hundred times their normal capacity, and that such an expansion of mechanical resources would be possible only by utilizing hundreds of private shops. He doesn't know what limit-gages are, or that jigs and fixtures take time to build, and that it is a hard job to make in a hurry something that you know absolutely nothing about. He doesn't realize that equipping soldiers with rifles is one thing, and replacing each rifle with a new or repaired one every five weeks (as is found necessary in Europe) is another.

"He does not grasp the terrific burden laid upon industrial plants because of the excessive wear and tear on their products, as evidenced by the reduction of the normal five-year life of a transport motor car to the brief span of ten days.

"It is up to you who can realize these things to enlighten your Congressman. He should know you well enough to know that you are not a dollar-chasing jingo. For if the industrial and mechanical men in this country do not make plain to our representatives the meaning of common-sense preparedness, who will? And common-sense preparedness simply means knowing how, if necessary, to utilize quickly our enormous industrial resources. It means an emphatic correction of such misleading fallacies as the one which would confine our mechanical defenses strictly to Government arsenals."

To transform our present army of 150,000 men (counting militia) into a fighting force of even 600,000 would be a mighty task. But it would be insignificant, compared with the job of expanding our 5,000 arsenal workers into an industrial force sufficient to supply the 600,000 with ammunition.

CONSERVATIVELY OPTIMISTIC

Despite the efforts of a pessimistic individual now and then to make the world believe the South is facing disaster, it is gratifying to note that the business men and the people generally have settled down upon a basis of conservative optimism. They have pretty well defined opinions of what the situation this fall is going to be, and are taking little stock in any cry of alarm that may be sounded now and then. They are not for a moment deceiving themselves with any idea that cotton is going to sell at a high price, but they have a pretty firm conviction that we are not going to have any panic on account of the cotton marketing conditions.

Retail farmers' supply houses in the interior of the cotton belt are in position to feel the pulse of the situation. They are not alarmed, neither are they looking for "big business" this fall. They have done business this year on the safest and most conservative basis in many years. They have extended credit only where there was a maximum of safety in doing so. They have exercised conservatism of the unusual sort in buying goods and many of them have less of surplus and out-of-date stock on hand than they have had in years. They have cleaned up, as it were, and at the same time have held their liabilities down to an unusual minimum. Consequently they are confident of being able to meet whatever obligations they have contracted this year and at the same time to liquidate largely the accounts brought over from last year.

The farmers themselves have bought only what they had to buy and as conservatively as possible. Even at low prices for cotton, they are confident of being able to meet what obligations they have on this year's account and many of them will be able to liquidate accounts that their merchants brought over for them from last year. The farmers, as a rule, have produced more of foodstuffs and feedstuffs than ever before, especially of grain, and therefore have been able to come through the producing portion of the year with far less of debt than usual while at the same time they are in position to live and carry on their farming operations through the next twelve months without the necessity of buying so much grain, forage and other provisions as in previous years.

These facts, which are cited as the general rule which, of course, may have its exceptions in individual cases and in certain localities, combined with the various other factors heretofore mentioned in these columns, point to far better conditions this fall that those faced by the South a year ago. Hence few people are worrying.

DR. CHARLES T. HARPER.

Following so closely the untimely deaths of Drs. Morris M. Caldwell and J. H. Bornemann, Jr., on Saturday night, the announcement of the death of Dr. Charles T. Harper at 6:50 o'clock yesterday evening, following complications after an operation for appendicitis, is almost too shocking to be grasped at the moment.

Dr. Harper was one of Wilmington's most enterprising and faithful practitioners, kindly, genial, whole-souled and with a love for his profession that easily placed him in the front rank of Wilmington physicians. At different times superintendent of health, member of the State Board of Medical Examiners, founder of Harper's Sanitarium in this city, engaged in other enterprises that made for the upbuilding and progress of his community, he was a citizen that Wilmington can ill afford to lose.

The Star joins this entire community in the deepest sympathy to those so deeply bowed down in grief at the passing of this splendid citizen.

KING COTTON'S RIGHTS.

In its review and outlook column, the unusually well informed Wall Street Journal, thus succinctly summarizes the situation with reference to cotton and its exportation to neutral countries. Says The Journal:

"Southern interests are taking the position that so long as the Allies have not declared cotton to be contraband, it has the right to enter neutral ports. The Allies' assertion that cotton is necessary to the military operations of their enemies and that considerable quantities are reaching them, may be well founded. But the South resents the seizure of ships and cargoes on the high seas, bound for neutral ports. Many prominent Southern men say the fairest way for the Allied Powers to deal with the matter would be to put cotton on the contraband list.

"Premier Asquith and several other members of the British cabinet have pointed out in rather cryptic language that there were extremely delicate reasons operating as obstacles in the way of this action. But the situation is becoming more irritating every day and may cause unpleasant friction. Some of the leading newspapers of Great Britain, as well as influential public men, including scientists and business men, as well as politicians, foresaw this, and have been agitating the placing of cotton on the contraband list. Thus far, the only result has been a tightening of the blockade.

"The Teutonic allies have great need for cotton, largely for military purposes. And if the war is prolonged, this need will become more pressing. Our own official figures show they have been getting considerable cotton, and its by-products by way of neutral ports. Comparing the figures for the eleven months ending May 31 of this year with the preceding year, it appears that 'Other Europe' (which includes Scandinavia and Holland) took 1,364,152 bales of cotton, against 93,104 in the preceding period. Two-thirds our exports of cottonseed cake and meal, or 1,047,608,429 pounds, went to Denmark, in contrast with 329,544,747 pounds in the corresponding period immediately preceding. It is not conceivable that Denmark's livestock developed such an increased appetite in one year. Holland took 15,960,633 pounds of cottonseed oil. Compare this with the 591,134 pounds she took in the preceding eleven months period, and ask what Holland did with it? Norway, also, added her quota to this increased activity of imports.

"Sir Edward Grey voices the opinion of the British people when he says: 'There are at this moment many neutral ports which it would be mere affectation to regard as offering facilities only for the commerce of the neutral country in which they are situated.' That is probably correct. But the position of the South is that so long as cotton is not contraband it is entitled to enter those ports. It is this clashing of claims of belligerent and neutral rights that is producing irritation. Declaring cotton contraband might end the controversy. Whether the South would benefit or lose is another question."

The fellows who are writing the war reviews out of London ought to get out their dictionaries of synonyms and antonyms and give the reader a little variety. The Russians are conducting entirely too many orderly retreats and the Germans are engineering entirely too many terrific drives.

OUR CONTROVERSY WITH GERMANY AND GREAT BRITAIN.

To the Editor of The Star:

I have read with interest Mr. J. A. Taylor's article on the cotton situation and can easily see that its sole object is to create sympathy for the Allies.

The facts are these. England, in holding shipments of any kind going from this country to European neutrals, is violating international law. Her excuse is that these shipments may eventually reach Germany. Have not the countries adjacent to Germany a perfect right to sell her anything they see fit? The United States claims the right to sell to the Allies all kinds of goods, including munitions of war. "Eventually" is too elastic and indefinite a condition and never before has such an excuse been made for interfering with commerce.

In compelling neutral countries to submit to such an embargo, England forces them to become her allies. We owe a duty to these neutrals, and if we ourselves are neutral, we should say to England:

"Your interference with our commerce is unfriendly and unless you immediately cease your unlawful acts we shall be compelled to use physical force to enforce our rights."

Had we dealt firmly with England at the beginning of the war, all the trouble with Germany would have been avoided. Our "molly coddle" policy in dealing with England encouraged Germany to also violate the laws of the seas. In the case of Germany she can with reason say: "My course is pursued in retaliation for England's departure from the rules of warfare; so long as my course causes you no inconvenience or financial loss (which so far it has not) please permit England and ourselves to fight it out."

J. C. JOHNSON.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is understood that pro-German feeling is setting so strongly against President Wilson in Pennsylvania that there is a possibility of the Republican candidate carrying the state.—Columbia State.

To date only 9,998 paragraphers have risen to remark in their humorous little fashion that we can't accept Gen. Villa's invitation to go to hell, as we shall not intervene just at this time.—Columbia State.

New York is taking particular note of the fact that the South is not pressing cotton for sale there. Mr. Harding, the Reserve Board authority, feels justified in the prediction that the average price of cotton during the next 12 months will be higher than during the past 12 months. And The Observer believes Harding is right.—Charlotte Observer.

Herman Ridder sets the pace for the promoters of damage suits. All he wants out of William Randolph Hearst is a paltry $250,000. The Philadelphia Record rather pertinently suggests that on this basis some of the assertions about President Wilson and Secretary Lansing by admirers of the Kaiser, ought to be worth two or three billion dollars in damages.—Charlotte Observer.

The drowning of the two brothers in the Cape Fear river at Wilmington was a circumstance of more than ordinarily distressing features. They were young men of excellent citizenship, thoroughly representative of the most useful element in the professional and civic life of North Carolina. The loss of either would have been cause for deep regret; the taking of both invested the affair with the elements of a calamity. Under the double blow visited upon him, the father of the young men would not be human were he not staggered even in the sustaining knowledge that the heart of the entire State is moved with sympathy for him.—Charlotte Observer.

The arrest of Philip C. Wadsworth is an incident that should catch the attention of the Southern farmers who have been regarded by certain exploiters as legitimate prey for all sorts of fleecing schemes, especially when the scheme is based on "saving the cotton crop" to the farmer. Wadsworth was the promoter of a scheme for a cotton financing company with a backing of $250,000,000, on paper, of course, and to which the farmers were to contribute cash, getting in return stock not worth the paper it was written on. As a bait Wadsworth promised the appointment of superintendents and supervisors in 800 counties in the cotton belt. These were to be paid a flat salary of $3,000 a year and placed so as to make considerably more as a rake-off, though he did not use that expression. Through his scheme the farmers were to be guaranteed 15 cents straight a pound for their cotton. Wadsworth is to be tried on the 26th and The Observer is anticipating that the trial is going to furnish some interesting literature.—Charlotte Observer.

MARKETING OF FARM LABOR ALSO PRESENTS DIFICULTIES

Ignorance of Wood Lot Owners Often Costs Farmers Dearly.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The marketing of farm timber presents some of the same difficulties, but in an aggravated form, that the farmer meets in selling other crops, says a Forest Sersive contribution to the year book of the Department of Agriculture, just issued. The farmer finds it hard to get enough for his timber. Most farmers now sell their saw timber on the stump to a mill man, such sales ordinarily being made for a lump sum. The mill man, experienced in estimating, goes through the woods and sizes up the quantity and value of the timber he wants. The owner, being a farmer and not a lumberman, seldom knows anything about estimating timber and has only the vaquest idea of what it ought to bring. The consequence of this condition is that the farmer often receives only a small fraction of the actual market value of his stumpage.

Astonishing examples of what a farmer may thus throw away are often encountered by foresters, continues the article. For instance, a Massachusetts farmer sold a million feet of timber to a portable saw mill man for $1,200, and thought he had obtained a good price. His neighbor, however, who knew something about timber, got $7,000 for the same quantity of white pine from the very same portable mill man. The first farmer, on account of his ignorance, practically presented the mill man with $5,800; the second owner was wise enough to learn before he attempted to sell his timber how much he had and what it ought to bring him in money.

Th productive capacity of the 200 million acres of farm lands throughout the country which either have or should have timber growing on them is enormous, says the article. This area is larger than all the national forest put together, and with an annual growth of 200 board feet per acre of saw timber—a moderate allowance under the practice of forestry—it would produce annually forever about 40 billion feet, or the equivalent of the entire lumber cut of the country, in additio nto not less than 120 million cords of firewood.

These figures, continues the article, probable never will be realized, for the reason that the present area of farm woodlands is much greater than it will be eventually. For example, woodland comprises 31 per cent. of the entire farm area of the South, and undoubtedly much of this land will be put to other uses than timber growing. Nevertheless, the farmers of the United States now own at least 250 billion feet of saw timber and 1 1-3 billion cords of cordwood, and this timber should produce a substantial part of their incomes. Farmers ought to make the most o ftheir timber, and the public should be interested in this question for the reason that the vast aggregate of farm timber should be available to supplement the other sources of the general supply.

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THE ART DEPARTMENT—In this department we have just received a big shipment of the up-to-date new style package goods. These packages contain the cloth, thread and design for the completion of the garment, from 15c to $1.00 a garment.

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BODIES OF DROWNED MEN ARE RECOVERED

All Rise to Surface in River Near Scene of Tragedy

Impressive Funeral of Dr. M. M. Caldwell and Brother — Remains to be Sent to Concord—Dr. Bornemann to be Buried Tomorrow.

The bodies of Dr. Morris M. Caldwell and his brother, Mr. Cleil S. Caldwell, and of Dr. J. H. Bornemann, the victims of the sad tragedy on Saturday night, when a boat in which they were crossing the Cape Fear capsized, were recovered yesterday, all of them having risen to the surface near the point where the boat went down. Hundreds of men engaged in the search of the river all day Sunday and Sunday night, and through yesterday until the last body was recovered about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The body of Chief Engineer Warwell, who went down with them, was recovered Sunday night.

The body of Mr. Cleil S. Caldwell was the first to rise to the surface yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, and the body of Dr. Caldwell floated at noon, and that of Dr. Bornemann was picked up at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

All of the bodies were found floating within a few hundred yards of the point where the boat went down.

No finer example of devotion to the memory of those who went down beneath the waters of the Cape Fear on Saturday night could have been shown than the determination of their friends and relatives to see that all that was mortal should be given the last sad rites of burial in a manner that was fitting and proper.

The bodies of the three men were removed to the undertaking parlors of Mr. Jas. F. Woolvin, on Princess street, to be prepared for burial. The funeral of Dr. M. M. Caldwell and his brother, Mr. Cleil S. Caldwell, was held from the residence of the former, No. 404 North Third street, last night at 8 o'clock, and the remains, accompanied by relatives and friends, will be sent to Concord over the Seaboard this morning for interment in the family burying ground near that place. The funeral of Dr. Bornemann will not be held until tomorrow. The funeral of Chief Engineer Warwell will be held this morning at 10 o'clock, from the undertaking parlors of Mr. Jas. F. Woolvin.

Many Attend Funeral.

Escorted by members of Plantagenet Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar, of which he was a member, the body of Dr. Morris M. Caldwell, and that of his brother, Mr. Cleil S. Caldwell, were taken to the home of the former, on North Third street, last evening, where the funeral services were conducted at 8 o'clock last night by Rev. Dr. John M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. H. W. Koelling, assistant pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, of which Dr. Caldwell was a member.

Hundreds of friends of the deceased were in attendance and not all who wanted to pay the last tribute of respect could find room in the home. A large number had to remain outside. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including handsome designs from several fraternal organizations of which Dr. Caldwell was a member, among these being designs sent by the Elks, the Shriners, Plantagenet Commandery Knights Templar, St. John's Lodge of Masons, Jeffersc.. Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and Cornelius Harnett Council, Royal Arcanum.

A quartette composed of Mrs. Mattie Longfellow, Mrs. James Smith and Messrs. Greene Fenley and Herbert Holden sang several selections, and Miss Agnes Chasten sang a beautiful solo. Miss Julia Post was the accompanist.

The remains of the two brothers will be taken on the 5 o'clock train this morning over the Seaboard to Charlotte and thence to Concord. The burial of Dr. Caldwell will be with Masonic honors at Poplar Tent church, in Cabarrus county, eight miles from Concord, and four miles from the original home of the deceased. The pallbearers to the train will be Messrs. R. H. Pickett, J. S. Williams, J. W. Freeman, J. M. Hall, J. Frank Jarman and B. H. Stephens, all members of Plantagenet Commandery, Knights Templar, who will accompany the body to its last resting place. The burial of Mr. Cleil S. Caldwell will take place at the same time as that of his brother.

Members of Charlotte Commandery, Knights Templar, will escort the remains of Dr. Caldwell from the Seaboard station in that city to the Southern station.

Relatives and friends here yesterday to attend the funeral were: Mrs. Joseph L. Hayes and Miss Bessie Hayes, father and sister of Mrs. M. M. Caldwell, of Claridge, Pa.; Mr. Shakespeare Harris, uncle of Mrs. Cleil S. Caldwell, Concord; Dr. D. S. Caldwell, of Charlotte; Dr. W. C. Caldwell, of Laurinburg, and Messrs. Olin and R. V. Caldwell, Jr., of Concord, brothers of the deceased; Mr. R. V. Caldwell, father, Miss Martha Caldwell, sister, and Mr. Will Morris, a cousin, all of Concord; Mr. G. B. Caldwell, a cousin, of Monroe, and Miss Loma Alexander, of Monroe, a devoted friend of Mrs. Cleil S. Caldwell, and Col. P. C. Carlton, of Statesville.

Funeral of Dr. Bornemann.

Awaiting the arrival of Dr. Bornemann's sister, the funeral of Dr. J. H. Bornemann will not be held until Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bornemann, Sr., No. 618 Orange street, thence to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, and Oakdale cemetery, where the interment will take place.

Dr. Bornemann's sister, Mrs. George Edwards, left Chicago yesterday and is expected to arrive tomorrow. The passing of Dr. Bornemann has been a severe shock to his hundreds of friends in the city, and many called at the home of the bereaved parents yesterday to extend sympathy.

Family in Germany.

The funeral of Chief Engineer Gustav Warwell, of the German steamer Nicaria, whose body was recovered Sunday night, will be held from Woolvin's undertaking parlors this morning at 10 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. F. W. E. Peschau, formerly pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, who has been visiting in Wilmington for several days. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

Mr. Warwell had no relatives in

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ROUTINE MATTERS ENGAGE CITY COUNCIL

Hour and Half Regular Session Held Last Night.

Reports from Departments and Communications Chief Features of Meeting—Leases and Bonds Executed.

Routine matters largely engaged an hour and a half's regular session of the City Council last night in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, nearly all members being in attendance, with several department heads. Reports of departments and communications were the chief features of the session.

Mayor Moore presided and Councilmen Jones, Bunting, Merritt, Bradshaw and McCaig were in their respective places, Councilman Hall being away on account of the death of Dr. Harper, which was announced with much feeling at the hall shortly before the session convened. There were also present City Clerk and Treasurer Meares, City Attorney Robert Ruark, Chief of Police Williams, City Engineer Struthers and others.

Upon recommendation of Councilman Merritt, in charge of markets, Messrs. R. C. Fergus and O. R. King were given a four-year extension on leases of fish stalls in the Front street market which they now occupy, the rental being $24 per month each. Later in the meeting upon the suggestion of Mr. Merritt, a new ordinance was adopted with reference to the markets, under which the council will issue licenses and execute leases as it may be determined from time to time is to the best interest of the city.

Councilman Jones, of the Water and Sewerage Department, reported with reference to the communication from Dr. Nesbitt which stated that the department was about 200 behind with its orders for connections. A statement was read by Superintendent Merritt, of the department, stating the exact number of requests for connections and stating that no applicants had to wait more than three or four days for connections.

Councilman Bradshaw, of the Department of Streets and Wharves, reported the unsatisfactory condition of the wharf at foot of Grace street, which was put in order some years ago by the Clyde Line and used by it in consideration of the improvement of the same. The Baltimore & Carolina Steamship Co., is now using the adjoining private wharf and Councilman Bradshaw was authorized to notify the agent of that company that if his line desires to use the wharf any longer, the company will have to repair the same, or in the event its use is not wanted by the steamship company, the city will repair the same and convert it to other purposes possibly.

Councilman Bradshaw was voted an appropriation of $1,500 to reimburse his budget for money expended in hauling the brick-bats away from the old Custom House site, the material having been used to good advantage in improving several blocks on 13th street. In this connection Councilman McCaig sounded another note of warning, so to speak, against exceeding the budget in these matters.

Upon recommendation of Councilman Bunting, in charge of the Fire Department, Substitute G. K. Barnhill was elected to a regular position as fireman, effective August 15th.

Mayor Moore and Councilman Bradshaw stated that they would, in company with City Engineer Struthers, visit the scene of an accident which recently befell Hartsfield Crandall, who caught his foot under a drain pipe extending from a retaining wall on Fourth, near Wooster street, and was thrown violently to the sidewalk. Woodus Kellum, Esq., stated to Council that his client was laid up for some weeks and desired compensation from the city for his injuries.

The bond of Chesley C. Bellamy, Esq., in the sum of $1,000, as assistant city attorney, was presented and accepted.

Bills of the Clerk of the Superior Court amounting to between $300 and $400 for court costs in certain tax suits that had been instituted from time to time since 1897 by the city and then not followed up, were presented by Councilman McCaig, of the Finance Committee, who explained them, with a supplemental statement by City Attorney Ruark. The bills were referred to the City Attorney for verification and report back to the council.

Councilman McCaig also presented a list of some 150 or more delinquent license tax payers who, he said, would be due a full quarter's license on the 10th. He asked the Council what action they desired be taken, but the matter went over for the present.

The contract with the Standard Supply Co., for hose, was presented, but was held over for stipulation as to number of pounds pressure the fabric is guaranteed to withstand.

An appropriation of $200 was made for Wilmington's representation in the moving pictures soon to be made in the city and at Wrightsville Beach upon the occasion of the Exhibitors' League here next week. The appropriation was made under authority of Chapter 461, Private Laws of 1911, relative to expending money for advertising purposes.

A recommendation by Councilman Bradshaw that a second-hand Ford roadster for the use of the superintendent of streets be purchased in lieu of two horses now maintained in the department for the superintendent, was referred to the Finance Committee with power to act. Mr. Bradshaw explained that the horses were now costing $36 per month for feed and he believed the purchase of the machine would be economy.

The lease with Messrs. Davis & Hintze for stand in Front street market, for four years, at a rental of $1,500 per year, was presented by Councilman Merritt, but went over for further consideration as the present lease does not expire until October 1st.

The clerk read two exhaustive opinions from City Attorney Ruark with reference to communications from Dr. Nesbitt, county health officer, on condition of stables on south side of Market, between Second and Third, and relative to city water and sewerage, the communications having been published at the time. Mr. Ruark held that under the law consolidating the city and county departments, which was cited, the matter complained of was entirely under authority of the Health Board as now constituted and he expressed the opinion that the city could only lend such moral support as it could to a correction of the evils complained of. Upon motion of Councilman McCaig a copy of the opinion was ordered sent to the Health Department. The ruling of Mr. Ruark is that

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DEATH OF DR. CHARLES T. HARPER SHOCKS CITY

Passing of Well Known Surgeon Universally Mourned

End Came Quickly, Following Change for Worse Yesterday, After an Operation Last Week—Long Prominent as Physician.

His friends, whom he numbered by the circle of his acquaintance, will be shocked to learn of the death of Dr. Chas. T. Harper, one of Wilmington's best known physicians and surgeons, which occurred last evening at 6:30 o'clock at his sanitarium in this city. He was stricken last Thursday morning with an attack of appendicitis, making an operation necessary. He quickly rallied from the shock of the operation and his condition apparently was most satisfactory until yesterday afternoon when a sudden change for the worse was noted.

Drs. Akerman, Slocumb and Moore were hurriedly called into consultation and decided upon a new operation. The condition of Dr. Harper, however, changed so rapidly that it was feared he did not have the strength to undergo a second operation. He rapidly sank until 6:30 o'clock, when he passed away. Death was pronounced to be due to acute intestinal obstruction.

When it was remembered that less than a week ago Dr. Harper was on the streets apparently in the best of health, it could scarcely be realized last night by his numerous friends that he was no more. Of genial temperament, generous and kind in his every action, with no thought of malice to anyone, open-hearted, bright and cheerful always, his death is sadly mourned by all who knew him.

The funeral arrangements had not been completed last night, but will be held some time Wednesday, the time and place to be announced later.

Dr. Harper was the eldest son of the late Col. J. F. and Annie S. Harper, having been born at Southport on August 10, 1872, and had he lived until today would have been 43 years old. His early education was obtained in the schools of Southport, and when only 13 years old, with his brother Fred. Harper, Esq., of Lynchburg, Va., he went to Trinity College, where he graduated with the degree of A. B. After his graduation at Trinity he spent one year at the North Carolina Medical College, then located at Davidson College. He then went to Baltimore and entered the medical department of the University of Maryland, graduating there with honors in 1894.

After his graduation he located in Baltimore and engaged in the practice of his profession and in connection with his general practice operated a drug store. At the earnest solicitation of his father, who, due to feebie health, felt the need of a son's advice, Dr. Harper returned to Wilmington for the practice of his profession. In 1910 he built Harper's sanitarium at Front and Castle street which now stands as a monument to him.

Dr. Harper was regarded as a splendid surgeon and had a wide practice. He was a member of the State Board of Medical Examiners, resident surgeon of the Seaboard Air Line and superintendent of Harper's sanitarium. He was a member of both the State and county medical societies and always took a great interest in the promotion of these organizations. He was also a member of the Tri-State Medical Society and had served as vice president of this organization, which embraces North and South Carolina and Virginia.

On December 18, 1895, Dr. Harper was married to Miss Jessie G. Zimmerman, who with one daughter, Miss Jessie G. Harper, survives him. He is also survived by one brother, Fred Harper, Esq., a leading lawyer of Lynchburg, Va., one half-brother, Capt. Jesse D. Price, of Wilmington, and three sisters, Mrs. William A. French and Mrs. J. J. Darby, of this city, and Mrs. E. C. Vitou, of Goldsboro. The bereaved family will have the sincere sympathy of many friends. Many called at the home, No. 1 Church street, last night to extend condolence.

Dr. Harper was a member of Orient Lodge of Masons, Concord Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, of Plantagenet Commandery, Knights Templar and a Shriner. He was one of the charter members of Wilmington Lodge of Elks and a Past Exalted Ruler. He was a director in the Rural Building and Loan Association and president of the Boney & Harper Milling Co.

One of the sad coincidences of the passing of Dr. Harper was his close association with Dr. Morris M. Caldwell, who lost his life Saturday night. Dr. Caldwell was chief resident surgeon of the Seaboard Air Line and Dr. Harper was assistant resident surgeon. Dr. Caldwell was one of the physicians who attended Dr. Harper in the operation last week.

Dr. Harper was a member of the First Presbyterian church of this city.

His daughter, Miss Jessie Harper, who has been absent for a month on a trip to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, is expected to arrive in Wilmington today, as is also his brother, Fred Harper, Esq.

Dr. Harper was for 12 years superintendent of health for the city of Wilmington, having given up this office in 1909. He was a public spirited citizen and devoted to the general welfare of the city and community. He believed in doing good in a practical way. He numbered his friends in every class and regarded men for what they are.

THEY WERE FINE

Mr. W G A Otersen Gives Star Staff New Hanover Peaches.

As a rebutt to some talk he has heard in other parts that good peaches cannot be grown in New Hanover county, Mr. W. G. A. Otersen, who has a farm on Castle Hayne road, four miles from the city, brought to The Star office yesterday five of as nice peaches as can be found anywhere. They were fine to eat, too. Mr. Otersen says the peaches were grown on his farm. The largest ones were nearly three inches in diameter, had a beautiful reddish color and a most delicious flavor.

CHIEF S. A. L. SURGEON.

Dr. J. M. Burke, of Petersburg, Va., in Wilmington Yesterday.

Dr. J. M. Burke, chief surgeon of the Seaboard Air Line, of Petersburg, Va., was in Wilmington yesterday, on account of the death of Dr. Morris M. Caldwell, district surgeon of the road. Soon after he left last night he was wired that Dr. Harper, assistant district surgeon, had also died.

BAPTIST PASTOR RESIGNS

Rev. J. A. Sullivan to Devote His Time to His Original "Won by One" Plan of Personal Work.

Rev. J. A. Sullivan, originator of the "Won by One" method of personal Christian work, resigned Sunday night as pastor of Calvary Baptist church. He has been pastor of this church for the last three and a half years and his congregation is loath to give him up, believing that his services are still needed. However, Mr. Sullivan has given the matter serious consideration and announced at the regular service Sunday night that he believed it to be his duty to give up his pastorate in order that he may devote his entire time to his plan of personal work which has already received nation-wide attention.

The many friends who heard with regret the news of his resignation will be delighted to know that it is likely that Rev. Mr. Sullivan will keep his home in this city. His work as a pastor has been marked with success, more than 200 members have affiliated with his church since he began his pastorate here in December of 1911.

The "Won by One" plan has been successfully managed by Rev. Mr. Sullivan at Calvary, and the wide publicity it has gained has brought favorable comments in many parts of the United States.

Mr. Sullivan inaugurated the movement, and it has the endorsement of the church generally. Whether or not the work will be confined to the Baptist church alone is a matter to be decided on later.

Mr. Sullivan will assist the pastors over North Carolina to train and enlist members to do personal work. He will make a specialty of increasing the efficiency of the church work of the State.

There are about 1,200 men and women engaged in this work in North Carolina at present, and the leadership of Mr. Sullivan will give them impetus that will increase the value of their work to their communities.

DEMONSTRATE ROAD DRAG

County Commissioners Interested in J. H. Rich's Plans

Mr. J. Hampton Rich, who is at Wrightsville Beach writing a book on his plan of Boy's Brigade Road Patrol for use in the public schools of North Carolina, will make and demonstrate the V shaped road drag, which is part fo the equipment for the brigades of the road patrol according to his plan and the Boys' Road Patrol bill, of which he is the author, which passed the last session of the North Carolina General Assembly, at the court house tomorrow at noon.

The County Commissioners are interested in the matter and public spirited citizens have contributed the materials for making the demonstration drag tomorrow and it is hoped by those who have gone into the matter, that there will be a large attendance of citizens of the town. It is especially desired that the Boy Scouts, with their scout master, be present. A number of the cities of the State are using the drag to keep outlying streets in good condition.

PLAINTIFF PAYS COST.

Interesting Case Before Recorder Empie Yesterday Morning.

There were two interesting cases tried before Recorder Empie yesterday morning. Paul Cromartie, colored, was tried on charge of having committed an assault on Blanche Cromartie. Assaults on females have been rather popular charges among the colored race for some time and some of the offenders have been punished. However, Recorder Empie judged this case both frivolous and malicious and taxed Blanche with the costs. Willie Woodall was tried on a warrant for larceny. Willie is a 15-year-old orphan, and Recorder Empie thought had not had proper training. Judgment is withheld for a while.

Jim Johnson and Frank Grady, colored, were tried for disorderly conduct. Johnson was found guilty and sent to the roads for 30 days, while Grady was found not guilty. Robert Mills was taxed with costs for an assault on a female.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

WARWELL — The funeral of Gustav Warwell, chief engineer of the German steamer Nicaria, will be held at 10 o'clock this (Tuesday) morning, from Woolvin's undertaking parlors, thence to Oakdale cemetery.

Friends are invited to attend.

(advertisement.)

DIED

BORNEMANN—In this city, on the night of Saturday, August 7, 1915, JOHN HENRY BORNEMANN, Jr., M. D., in the 35th year of his age.

Funeral tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 4 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bornemann, No. 618 Orange street, thence to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church. Interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER.

By virtue and in pursuance of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by Sabina Judicki to William Gregerson, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1914, and duly recorded in book 78, page 362 et. seq. in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County, the undersigned mortgagee will expose for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1915, at twelve o'clock M., the following described tract, piece or parcel of land lying, being and situate in Cape Fear Township, County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina and bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the northerly line of Marathon Avenue where said line crosses the center of the Branch known as Rocky Run and down and with the meanders of said Rocky Run following the senter of said run to the mouth thereof, where it empties into Prince George Creek, thence in a westerly direction down and with the run of Prince George Creek, following the meanders of the Southerly bank thereof, to a point where the dividing line of Farm No. 8 and Farm No. 9 of the Marathon colony strikes said Southerly bank of said Prince George Creek, thence in a southerly direction along the dividing line of Farm No. 8 and Farm No. 9 and at right angles to Marathon avenue to the northerly line of Marathon avenue and thence eastwardly along said northerly line of Marathon avenue eight hundred and thirty (830) feet to the point or place of beginning, the same being a part of Farm No. 6 and all of Farms Nos. 7 and 8 of the Marathon Colony as shown on the official map made by C. R. Humphreys in the year 1905 and containing 23 1-3 acres more or less, saving and excepting from the above description the old grave yard located on Farm No. 8 as shown on said map, subject to the conditions, limitations and restrictions set forth in deed to William Gregerson, recorded in book 72 at page 597 of the records of Register of Deeds of New Hanover County aforesaid.

WILLIAM GREGERSON,
Mortgagee.

Herbert McClammy,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made and executed on the 18th day of May, 1911, by Joseph Schad and wife to George Honnet, recorded in Book 64, page 397, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned executor of the executrix of George Honnet will on Monday, the 30th day of August, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House door of said County, sell for cash, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described piece, parcel or lot of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Wilmington, State and County above written, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the Northern line of Market street seventy-eight (78) feet Westwardly from the Western line of Fifteenth street, and runs thence Westwardly along the said Northern line of Market street one hundred and twenty (120) feet, thence Northwardly and parallel with Fifteenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet, thence Eastwardly and parallel with Market street one hundred and twenty (120) feet; thence Southwardly and parallel with Fifteenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the Northern line of Market street, the point of beginning; the same being a part of Lots 3, 4 and 5, in Block 483, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

This 22nd day of July, 1915.

J. H. HONNET,
Executor of the Executrix of Geo. Honnet.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Master Gregg and Royal O'Neal are spending some time visiting relatives in South Carolina.

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Mrs. Sheehan, after spending several weeks in Hendersonville, N. C., has returned to her home here.

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Mrs. Brown shepherd and children, of Raleigh, were in the city yesterday, stopping at the Orton.

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Miss Alma Goode, of Connelly Springs, is the guest of Miss Beulah Brock, No. 522 South Fifth street.

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Miss Edna Davis has returned to the city from a delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Callahan, at Winston-Salem.

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Mrs. William R. Bradshaw has as her guest at her home, No. 1414 Castle street, Miss Ruth Powell, of Norfolk, Va.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Fletcher Rourk and their daughter, Alice, of Montreal, Canada, are guests of their parents at Carolina Court.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Nellie Cook has returned to her home in Wilmington after a few weeks' visit to relatives in this place."

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Miss Ferne and little Belle Lane accompanied their sister, Mrs. J. S. Heery, to her home in Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Beery had been visiting her people here.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Farham and Master James, Jr., returned to the city yesterday morning from Lumberton, where they spent Sunday with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Ruark and little daughter, Alice, of Montreal, Canada, arrived yesterday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Ruark, at Carolina court.

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Mrs. B. J. Lewis will return to her home at Whiteville this morning, taking with her her little son Gordon, who was operated on at Harper's Sanitarium about ten days ago.

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Owing to the untimely death of Dr. Caldwell, who was to have taken part in the local talent international play Saturday night, all invitations have been recalled, and the play will not be given.

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Rose Hill, N. C., Aug. 9.—Mrs. D. C. Geddie announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Ruth, to Mr. John T. Hatcher, the wedding to take place September 7th at the Methodist church, Rose Hill, N. C.

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The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold their regular monthly meeting this (Tuesday) afternoon at 5 o'clock, in the church parlors. All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend.

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Miss Marie Husbands left yesterday for her home in Florence, S. C., accompanied by little Miss Francis Barfield, who will visit her grandparents there. Miss Husbands has been a charming visitor among her relatives in the city.

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Mrs. N. B. Vincent and dauhgter, Miss Mary Vincent, have returned to their home in Charlotte after spending some time with relatives in Wilmington. Mrs. Vincent was a former resident of this city and her many friends were delighted to see her.

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W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., has returned from Western North Carolina, where he spent some time during which he attended the North Carolina Bar Association at Asheville. Mrs. Truner and their children are spending some time at Healing Springs before returning to the city.

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The excursion to Carolina Beach to have been given today by the Ladies' Aid Society of Immanuel Presbyterian church was postponed on account of the death of Dr. Harper, especially through respect to Mrs. Harper, who is a Sunday school worker at Immanuel. The excursion will be given at a later date and all who have bought tickets are asked to keep them and they will be good when the excursion is made then.

NEWS FROM BIJOU GIRLS

Miss Walker Wires of Wonders They Are Seeing and Reception Getting.

A telegram to the Bijou Theatre yesterday from Miss Beulah Walker told of the Bijou girls' trip through Utah and that they are this morning in Southern California and will today be in Universal City. The following is Miss Walker's telegram:

"Milford, Utah, Aug. 9, 1915.

"Bijou Theatre, Wilmington, N. C.: Having great time. Spent yesterday at Salt Lake City. Mormons heard of our arrival and treated us royally. Stopped at Newhouse, best in city. Went to Oake in afternoon. Entertained at American, finest movie house in world, pipe organ, full orchestra. Reach Los Angeles Tuesday morning. Regards to all.

"BEULAH MAE WALKER."

New Janitor at Carolina.

George Lutlow, one of the best known and highly respected colored men of Wilmington, has been selected as janitor of the Carolina Apartment house. The Carolina has 38 apartments and it is important that a competent man be in charge of the building. Lutlow has had many years of experience in work of this nature and has a great many friends in the city.

What to Use and Avoid On Faces that Perspire

Skin, to be healthy, must breathe. It also must perspire—must expel, through the pores, its share of the body's waste material. Certain creams and powders clog the pores, interfering both with elimination and breathing, especially during the heated period. If more women understood this, there would be fewer self-ruined complexions. If they would use ordinary mercolized wax they would have healthy complexions. This remarkable substance actually absorbs a bad skin, also uncloggling the pores. Result: The fresher, younger under-skin is permitted to breathe and to show itself. The exquisite new complexion gradually peeps out, one free from any apnearance of artificiality. Obtain an ounce of mercolized wax from your druggist and try it. Apply nightly like cold cream for a week or two, washing it off mornings.

To remove wrinkles, he re's a marvelously effective treatment, which also acts naturally and harmlessly: Dissolve 1 oz. powdered saxolite in ½ pt. witch hazel and use as a wash lotion.

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Miss Betty Lee, who closed her engagement at Lumina Sunday night, left yesterday for New York.

Mrs. M. G. Reid and cousin, Miss Mayme Harbison, of Atlanta ,are spending some time at the Seashore Hotel.

Misses Antoinette and Hazel Black have gone to Western North Carolina to spend several weeks in the mountains.

Mr. A. W. Meyland, the popular deputy register of deeds of New Hanover county, is spending his vacation at the beach.

Mrs. O. E. Scott and daughters, of St .Louis, will entertain a party of friends on the Seashore Hotel steel pier Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rich and four children have returned to their home in Montgomery, Ala., after spending about six weeks at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Pinkard and children, after spending several weeks at the Oceanic Hotel, have returned to their home in Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pidcock, Mrs. Paul Harper, of Moultrie, Ga., came in Mr. Pidcock's automobile to spend some time in this city and at the beach.

Editor J. C. Patton, of the Charlotte News, and family, after spending the past week-end at the beach, guests of the Seashore Hotel, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Eves have returned to their home in Augusta, Ga., after spending some time at the beach as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Barrett.

Mr. William C. Petty, proprietor of the Mecklenburg Hotel at Charlotte, has returned to his home after spending some time at the beach, a guest at the Oceanic Hotel.

Miss Flossie Benton, who had been at Wrightsville Beach the past few weeks, stopped at the Orton hotel yesterday while in the city en route to her home at Evergreen, N. C.

Mr. Tom Dunham, of Hotel Jefferson, Birmingham, Ala., who was night clerk at the Seashore Hotel five years ago, is spending some time there. Mr. Dunham is quite popular and a fine entertainer and has a host of friends on the beach.

Mrs. Don Richardson, who has been staying with her husband at the Paris cottage, will leave today for Brunswick, Ga., where she will spend some time. This is her old home and she will spend several weeks there before returning to the beach.

A children's souvenir dance will be the attraction at Lumina tonight. The dance will no doubt attract a large crowd to the pavilion as there are always popular occasions with the grown people as well as the little folks. The children's hour will be from 8:15 to 9:15.

Tonight at Lumina a fine three-reel feature by the Lubin company will be shown on the screen. It is a play of great dramatic force showing an easy path to sunshine after sadness. Three favorite actors of the Lubin staff, Ormi Hawley, Earl Metcalfe and Arthur Matthews, are in the cast.

Recent arrivals at the Hanover Inn include T. J. B. Marshall and A. C. Richards, Montgomery, Ala.; Mrs. H. O. Wallace, Anderson, S. C.; Charles H. Ireland and Andrew Joyner, Jr., Greensboro; Misses Vivian and Margaret Gary, Spencer; W. O. Weeks, Rocky Mount; W. J. Cook, Fayetteville; J. D. Panniel, Geensboro; W. T. Caldwell, Lumberton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Greyard and daughter, of McDonald, N. C., arrived yesterday to spend a short while in the city and at the beach. Mr. Greyard is representative of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, and the Union Seed & Fertilizer Company, of Wilmington, and is one of the leading business men of Robeson county.

Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Colonel and Mrs. W. S. Cook returned last night from Wrightsville Beach. Mrs. Cook spent the previous week at the beach, Colonel Cook going down yesterday morning to accompany her on her return.——Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hobbs and daughter, Margaret, left yesterday for a stay at Wrightsville Beach."

Latest arrivals at the Oceanic include W. H. Northern, Charlotte; John K. Hamblin, Union, S. C.; W. P. Eason, Atlanta; L. R. Albright, Canton, O.; W. L. Proctor and L. V. Smith, Marion, S. C.; J. L. Pinner, Newbern; Miss Myrtle White, Lockhart, Texas; Reynold Maxwell, Seven Springs; S. W. Lewis, V. C. Richardson, Whiteville; E. Sheeler, Charlotte; L. Hampton, Latta, S. C.; Mrs. A. R. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Harper, Mrs. Park Harper, Asher Harper, Moultrie, Ga.; D. E. Strunck, Newberry, S. C.

Among yesterday's arrivals at the Seashore Hotel were L. V. Bradshaw, Chadbourn; W. D. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clay and J. K. Doughton, Raleigh; D. C. Farrior, Goldsboro; R. C. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, Mrs. Clara Noah, Miss Nell O. Watson and Miss Fannie Watson, Fayetteville; W. W. Walter and R. B. Hampton, Atlanta; Murray Clark, Monroe; W. M. Marks and Miss Julia A. Marks, Montgomery; T. J. Pratt, Norfolk; J. H. Council, Wananish; E. G. Moore, Elm City; G. B. Cooper, Clinton; G. W. Marquard, Danville, Va.

Among the recent arrivals at the Surfside cottage are: Mr. S. S. Britt, Miss Evelyn Branch, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Branch and Master Clifford Branch, Capt. G. B. Duncan, his wife and son, Julian, of Norfolk, Va.; Miss Sarah Hancock, Bennettsville, S. C.; Capt. R. P. Paddison, Joel Cook Pretlow and Paddison Pretlow, Point Caswell, N. C.; Mrs. Sloan, Garland; W. L. Crump, Norfolk, Va.; W. L. Davis, Maxton; James Blue and Will Roberts, Raeford; and Miss Bessie Hendry, of Wallace.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Fred R. Mintz, of Mt. Olive, is a guest at the Orton hotel.

—Dr. Ernest S. Bullock has returned from a business visit to Baltimore, Md.

—Mr. A. J. Hill, of Warsaw, spent yesterday in Wilmington ,being registered at the Orton.

—Mr. W. L. Hill, of Raleigh, was a visitor in the city yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. J. B. Council, of Wananish, was among those registered at the Orton hotel yesterday.

—Capt. J. B. Church, of Southport, was a Wilmington visitor yesterday registered at the Orton.

—The large party of Rotarians left last night for Raleigh where they were anticipating a royal entertainment.

—The following weer registered at the Wilmington yesterday: C. W. Roberts, Durham; William M. Patterson, Charlotte; E. E. Ronne, Fort Caswell; J. B. Patterson, Greensboro; Dr. Byron Clark and Oldham Clark, Salisbury; T. H. Heron, Fort Caswell.

LOCAL DOTS.

—A marriage license was issued yesterday for Vircenzo Bartiroi, of Wilmington, and Miss Resino Travison, of Wallace.

—The Italian steamer, Citta di Messina, Captain Noera, light from Genoa, arrived in port yesterday. The vessel is docked at the wharf of the Champion Compress Company, where it will take on a cargo of cotton.

—Halios Posvanis, a Greek, running a confectionary store at the corner of Sixth and Castle streets, was arrested yesterday by Constable J. H. Davis and will have a hearing before Justice Harriss today on a charge of selling cigarettes to minors. Constable Davis swore out the warrant, charging that Posvanis had sold cigarettes to his children. He says he hopes the punishment won't be very severe, but he wants the children protected from early learning to smoke. Posvanis was released on bond.

BODIES OF DROWNED MEN ARE RECOVERED

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America but leaves a wife and three children in Germany. Although far from his native land in the midst of strangers, so to speak, he had during his residence of a little more than a year in Wilmington made many friends who regret his sad passing. Through no fault of his own he could not return to his family, who are left to mourn his death, but he took the matter philosophically and was looking forward to a time when circumstances would permit his returning to his native land.

Imperial German Vice Consul J. G. L. Gieschen and other friends in the city have taken care to see that his burial shall in every way be all that his family could wish were they in Wilmington. All of his belongings on the Nicaria will be sealed up in a package and returned to his wife in Germany. Notice of his death will be sent to her just as soon as possible.

Friends and acquaintances of the deceased officer are invited to attend the funeral this morning and pay the last tribute of respect to his memory.

Statement of Survivor.

Chief Engineer Reimers, of the German steamer Kiel, the sole survivor of the terrible catastrophe, yesterday made a sworn statement before Maj. W. N. Harriss, Clerk of the Superior Court, giving the details of the accident Saturday night. The statement, which has been sealed by Coroner A. S. Holden and left with the Clerk of Superior Court, follows:

"Personally appeared before me, W. N. Harriss, Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, John Joachim Theodor Reimers, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

"I am a citizen of Hamburg, Germany. I am at present the chief engineer of the German steamer Kiel of the Hamburg-Australian line, now in the port of Wilmington, N. C. About 9 o'clock Saturday night, August 7, 1915, Gustav Warwell, chief engineer of the German steamer Nicaria of the Hamburg-American line, also in the port of Wilmington, N. C., called for me in a small motor boat in which we went ashore together and at about 10:30 o'clock p. m. we went to the Elks' club. About 11:30 p. m. Chief Engineer Warwell and I in company with Drs. J. Henry Bornemann and Morris M. Caldwell and Mr. C. S. Caldwell, a brother of Dr. M. M. Caldwell, were seated at a table at the club engaged in conversation when Dr. Caldwell suggested that they visit the steamer Nicaria in order that his brother, C. S. Caldwell, who was a visitor to Wilmington, could see and look over the ship.

"We left the club at about midnight and went to the foot of Grace street where Chief Engineer Warwell had left his boat. Drs. Caldwell and Bornemann, Mr. C. S. Caldwell, Engineer Warwell and I got into boat and started for the Nicaria, which was moored on the opposite side of the river, a distance of approximately one-quarter mile. I was sitting in the bow of the boat, on the right hand side, Chief Engineer Warwell was almost opposite me in the bow on the left hand side; Dr. Caldwell was in the stern on the right hand side, his brother, Mr. C. S. Caldwell, was in the stern on the left side, and Dr. Bornemann was in the middle at the rear of the boat. Chief Engineer Warwell was running the engine and steering the boat.

"When about 150 feet from the Nicaria Dr. Caldwell stood up, which caused the boat to rock and take in water, and stepping to the opposite side to steady the boat he caused the boat to take in more water, when the boat began to sink rapidly. We all jumped into the river and the boat sank immediately. I started to swim toward the Nicaria but the current being so strong I was carried some distance below the ship and finally reached the wharf on the west side of the river in a state of exhaustion. I continually called for help while trying to reach the shore and before I got out of the water my cries of alarm had been heard on board the Nicaria and a boat in command of the captain passed by and soon afterwards another from the Nicaria, in charge of the watchman, came up and took me in.

"When I started to swim to the shore the others that were in the boat with me also started and appeared to be swimming towards the ship. I was calling loudly for help and recall hearing others also calling for help. I thought they all were swimming behind and, therefore, I did not see any of them go down. As soon as I was picked up by the watchman we went back to the place where the boat had sunk but could find no trace of those who were in the boat with me. The captain of the Nicaria in a boat was at the time also looking for the others in the water and picked up hats and papers, the property of some of those that were missing. A boat from the Kiel was also searching for the missing ones in the water but found nothing. The search by these three boats was kept up until about 4 o'clock a. m. Sunday but without having found any of the missing ones.

"Chief Engineer Warwell's boat in which we attempted to reach the Nicaria on the night of the accident was about 16 feet in length and between four and five feet beam and had a capacity of seven which she had carried on many occasions. Not a single one of those in the boat with me at the time of the accident were in the least under the influence of intoxicants.

"JNO JOACHIM THEO. REIMERS,"

"Chief Engineer S. S. Kiel.

"In triplicate. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of August, 1915.

"W. N. HARRISS,
"Clerk Superior Court."

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Stated communication this (Tuesday) evening, at 8 o'clock sharp, for work pertaining to the business of the Lodge.

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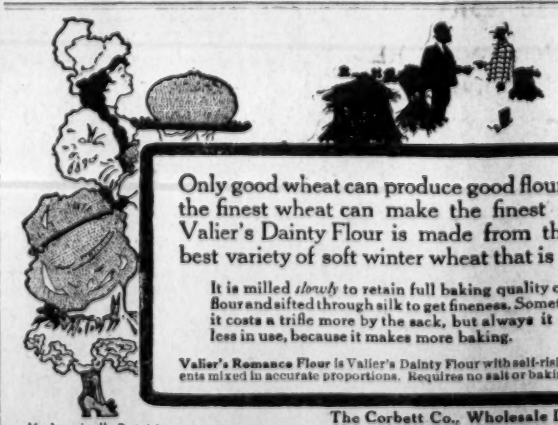

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Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Alice M. Schulken, deceased, this is to give notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of July, 1916, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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Returning, tickets will be limited to reach Wilmington not later than September 1st. Correspondingly low fares will be made from a large number of other stations in this section. Stop-overs will be allowed within the final limit only on the return trip at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Richmond and Norfolk, and tickets to points north of either Richmond or Norfolk will be good returning from either one of those junction points, regardless of the route on the going trip. For any information, reservations, etc.,

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

PRICE OF COTTON FELL

Better Growth Prospects and Easier Liverpool Cables—Close Was at Several Points Under Saturday's.

New York, Aug. 9.—Better prospects for rain the southwest and easier Liverpool cables led to a decline in cotton here today with the close steady at a net loss of from 9 to 12 points. Private cables said Liverpool had eased off under moderate selling ,and the market her copened at a decline of 4 to 7 points. Reports of light scattering showers in Texas over Sunday and the Western belt forecast for cloudy or showery weather encouraged the selling movement, and the active positions soon worked 10 to 11 points under Saturday's closing figures.

Rallies of 4 or 5 points followed the detailed weather reports for the Houston district showing no rain of consequence, but there seems comparatively little demand and the market eased off again under renewed scattering liquidation or local pressure.

Prices reached the lowest late in the day and closed with a point or two of the bottom. The heavy general rains reported in the Oklahoma district were not considered altogether desirable but served to strengthen the expectation of relief from drouthy conditions in Texas and this way contributed to the afternoon decline. Liverpool buying which was the leading feature of the advances of last week was but a little evidence during today's trading and part of the local pressure was probably inspired by a feeling that the technical position of the market had been weakened by the recent covering of both domestic and foreign shorts.

Futures closed steady:

	Open.	High	Low.	Close.
October	9.45	9.47	9.37	9.41
December	9.75	9.76	9.68	9.70
January	9.86	9.86	9.80	9.81
March	10.10	10.11	10.07	10.04
May	10.26	10.24	10.26	

Spot quiet; middling uplands 9.45, sales 400 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 880; receipts, 772; exports, 7,443; sales, 1,040; stock, 128,582.

Galveston — Middling, 8.90; receipts, 1,164; sales, 773; stock, 111,344.

Mobile—Middling, 8.18; receipts, 2; stock, 12,230.

Savannah — Middling, 8.63; receipts, 208; exports, 432; sales, 555; stock, 59,474.

Charleston—Receipts, 11; stock, 43,660.

Wilmington — Receipts, 137; stock, 37,378.

Norfolk — Middling, 8.75; receipts, 505; sales, 187; stock, 45,696.

Baltimore—Stock, 1,325.

Boston—Middling, 9.45; stock, 13,900.

Philadelphia — Middling, 9.70; stock, 855.

New York—Middling, 9.45; exports, 9,103; stock, 236,555.

Minor Ports—Stock, 8,424.

Total today—Receipts, 2,799; exports, 16,977; stock, 724,730.

Total for week—Receipts, 4,896; exports, 21,575.

Total for season—Receipts, 22,851; exports, 41,422.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 8.90; receipts, 1,553; shipments, 1,462; sales, 210; stock, 46,479.

Memphis—Middling, 8.75; receipts, 226; shipments, 516; sales, 100; stock, 75,113.

Augusta—Middling, 8.63; receipts, 135; shipments, 167; sales, 191; stock, 38,880.

St. Louis—Middling, 8¾; receipts, 133; shipments, 94; stock, 15,210.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 4; shipments, 150; stock, 15,665.

Little Rock—Middling, 8.50; receipts, 1; shipments, 417; sales, 417; stock, 8,525.

Dallas—Middling, 8.60; sales, 875.

Total Today—Receipts, 2,052; shipments, 2,806; stock, 229,872.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, August 9. — Cotton: Spot, easier. Good middling, 577; middling, 547; low middling, 501. Sales, 10,000. For speculation and export, 1,000. Receipts, 4,000.

Futures, easy. August, 5.29½; September and August, 5.29½; September-October, 5.34½; October-November, 5.41; November-December, 5.46½; December-January, 5.51; January-February, 5.55; February-March, 5.59; March-pril, 5.63; April-May, 5.66½; May-June, 5.70; June-July, 5.73; July-August, 5.76.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 9. — Cotton seed oil was dull, with prices lower under January liquidation, talk of more crude coming out and lack of outside demand. Final prices were 9 to 11 points net lower. Sales, 1,800 barrels. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, 5.85; August, 5.76; September, 5.80; October, 5.83; November, 5.83; December, 5.82; January, 5.93; February, 5.97; March, 6.07. Prime winter yellow, 6.25@6.80; prime summer, 6.00@7.00.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS.

New York, Aug. 9.—Cotton goods and yarns, quiet today. Raw silk, firmer. Dress goods were in more active demand for spot and nearby delivery and men's wear was in fair demand.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Price Stood at Decline Throughout Day. Close Quiet and Steady.

New Orleans, Aug. 9.—Cotton stood at the decline throughout today's session and closed quiet and steady at the lowest, a loss of 11 to 12 points. Trading was on a moderate scale, there being little demand. Moderate offerings were a pressure on the market. In the early trading active months lost 5 to 7 points on selling based on poor cables and what the trade regarded as prospects of rain in Texas. The decline gradually was widened without any show of recuperation.

A demand for spots was reported both in Texas and in the Eastern belt, but while it attracted attention, it led to no buying of consequence. Crop news on the whole was unfavorable but did not stimulate the demand. The official weather returns for over Sunday were considered disappointing.

Futures closed quiet and steady: October 9.19; December 9.47; January 9.59; March 9.82; May 10.02.

Spot steady, unchanged; sales on the spot 490 bales; to arrive 550; middling 8.62.

PRICE OF WHEAT SAGGED

Owing Largely to Prospects of Bearish Crop Report From Washington—Corn and Oats Fell Off.

Chicago, Aug. 9. — Wheat sagged today, owing largely to prospects of a bearish crop report from Washington. As a matter of fact, however, the government figures made public after trading hours, did not prove so big as the more radical bears had predicted. Closing prices were unsettled at ⅝ to ¾c. decline.

Corn closed ⅜@½ to ⅝ down, and oats off ⅝ to 1⅛@1¼.

In provisions, the outcome was 2½ to 27½c advance.

Grain and provisions closing:

Wheat—Sept., 1.06⅞; Dec., 1.07⅝.

Corn—Sept., 74¼; Dec., 63⅝.

Pork—Sept., 13.90; Oct., 14.00.

Lard—Sept., 8.15; Oct., 8.20.

Ribs—Sept., 9.20; Oct., 9.15.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.13⅛@1.15; No. 2, hard, 1.25@1.28.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 80@81½.

Rye—No. 2, nominal.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Navahoe, Capt. Carey, New York, C. J. Becker, agent.

Str. Citta di Messina (Ital.), 1,557 tons, Capt. Noera, Genoa, Alexander Sprunt & Sons.

Cleared.

Str. Navahoe, Capt. Carey, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

Str. Alleghany, Capt. Page, Georgetown, Baltimore-Carolina Steamship Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Str. Citta di Messina (Ital.), 1,557 tons, Noera, Alexander Sprunt & Sons.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, 38.

ROSIN—$2.65 to $2.55.

TAR—Firm, $1.70 per barrel; 5c per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nominal. Rosin nominal. Tar, $2.25. Crude turpentine, firm $3.50, $3.50, $2.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 1

Rosin 403

Tar 48

Crude Turpentine 3

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine; 3 casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, (—) barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal. Quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—88 bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, to date, 380,008 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 377,469 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Aug. 9.

Atlantic Coast Line—88 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 48 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Thelma—400 bales rosin.

Total—88 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 405 barrels rosin; 48 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Aug. 9.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 80c.; No. 1, machine picked, 75c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Steady. Jumbos 75c.; fancy hand-picked, 60c.; No. 1, machine picked, 55c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Steady. No. 1, small, machine picked, 85c.; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 9. — Spanish: Farmers' stock: Market, quiet. First quality, 80c per bu.; off grade, 30c to 50c per bu.

Virginias: Farmers' stock, market weak. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c per lb.; fancy hand-picked, 3¼c. per lb.; extra prime, 3c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2¼c. to 2¾c. per lb.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 9.)

CORN—$2.20 per sack.

PEAS—Out of season.

IRISH POTATOES—New crop, 50c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams $1.50 per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Dull at any price.

WOOL—Burry, 14@15c.; black wool, 16@17c.; first-class white wool, 20@21c., free, 20@21c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 17@18c.; sides and shoulders, 14@15c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 35 to 40c; spring, 15 to 30c per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—16 to 17c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, ug. 9. — Hogs—Firm. Bulk, 6.30@7.00; light, 6.80@7.65; mixed, 6.15@7.45; heavy, 5.95@6.90; rough, 5.95@6.10; pigs, 6.50@7.50.

Cattle — Weak. Native beef cattle, 6.10@10.30; cows and heifers, 3.10@9.20. Calves, 7.50@11.25.

Sheep — Easy. Sheep, 6.20@7.10; lambs, 7.25@9.50.

INDUSTRIAL STOCKS LEADERS

Again Determined the Character of the Stock Market—Railroads Also Featured in Broad Buying.

New York, Aug. 9.—Demand for industrial stocks again determined the character of the stock market today. In early transactions the course of price was uncertain. A few specialties rose buoyantly but in other quarters restrained by sales. The disposition to take profits was apparent throughout but interest in war shares was unflagging. Their sustained strength removed the chief source of doubt as to the conduct of the market and prepared the ground for a general advance. During the afternoon railroads as well as industrials responded to a broad buying movement, which continued to the close. Last quotations were on a substantially higher basis. Total sales were 695,000 shares.

Steel issues were again the favorites. United States Steel touched a new high market for the movement at 74 3-4. Among the war stocks advances in some cases were from 5 to 10 points. Motor, Tobacco and Petroleum shares developed pronounced strength. These high records were established:

General Motors 219, a rise of 15 points; Wyllis Overland 182 up 5 1-2; Westinghouse Electric, up 2 3-8; United States Industrial Alcohol, up 4.

The report that war contracts amounting to more than $200,000,000 were to be let was used to keep up the bullish interest in the war order group. Steel trade advices were optimistic. The crop report reacted favorably on railroad shares being better in some particulars than expected.

There was an unusual break in exchange rates. Exchange on London declined to 4.75 1-2 a new low record for the war period. Exchange on Paris also reached a low record, 74 3-4. Total sales bonds, par value, $2,900,000. United States and Panama bonds advanced 1-4 to 1-2 on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

American Beet Sugar	55
American Can	59⅝
American Cities, pfd	46
American Cotton Oil	50
American Smelting	83
American Sugar	109
American Tel. and Tel	122¾
American Tobacco	235
Atchison	102¼
Atlantic Coast Line	100
Baltimore and Ohio	80⅝
Bethlehem Steel	295
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	85¾
Canadian Pacific	148
Central Leather	48⅝
Chesapeake and Ohio	42
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	83¼
Chicago, R. I. and Pac	17⅝
Consolidated Gas	128
Corn Products	15
Erie	27
General Motors	217⅝
Great Northern, pfd	118⅝
Illinois Central (ex. div., 2½ p.c.)	101
Interborough-Met., pfd	75
Kansas City Southern	24¼
Louisville and Nashville	109
Liggett and Myers	225
Lorillard Co	175
Maxwell Motor Co	32½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	8⅝
Missouri Pacific	2⅝
Mexican Petroleum	83½
National Lead	67⅝
New York Central	90¼
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	62⅝
Norfolk and Western	107¼
Northern Pacific	108
Pennsylvania	109⅝
Reading	151¼
Rep. Iron and Steel	44¼
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	98⅛
Seaboard Air Line	14⅝
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	35⅞
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	46½
Studebaker Corporation	85⅞
Southern Pacific	88¼
Southern Railway	15½
Southern Railway, pfd	47
Tennessee Copper	42⅝
Texas Co	141¼
Texas and Pacific	11
Union Pacific	131¼
United States Rubber	47½
United States Steel	74½
United States Steel, pfd	112⅞
Utah Copper	66⅝
Virginia-Caro. Chem	35
Western Union	70⅝
Westinghouse Electric	114
Crucible Steel	89½
Allis-Chalmers	34
Anaconda Copper	68⅞

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 9. — Mercantile paper, 3½@3¾. Sterling sixty day bills, 4.7050; demand, 4.7550; cables, 4.7625. Bar silver, 47⅝. Mexican dollars, 36¾. Government bonds, strong. Railroad bonds, irregular.

Time loans, firm. Sixty days, 2½; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3¼@3½. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 2.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, Aug. 9. — Turpentine, firm, 38¾; sales, 259; receipts, 206; shipments, 4,492; stock, 21,198.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 939; receipts, 90; shipments, 4,610; stock, 59,025.

Quote: A, B, 2.95; C, D, 3.02½; E, 3.10; F, 3.10@3.15; G, 3.15@3.20; H, I, 3.22½; K, 3.55; M, 4.05@4.20; N, 4.95; W G, 5.90; W W, 5.80.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, Aug. 9.—Sugar—Firm. Molasses sugar, 3.75; refined, steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Barely steady.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 7½; Santos, No. 4, 9¾.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

August 10, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 77 degrees; at 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 91 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 82 6.3 feet.

Rainfall for the day, .14; rainfall for the month, to date, 3.46 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 3.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday, probable occasional thunder showers.

The Port Calendar, Aug. 10, 1915.

Sun rises .. .. 5:30 A. M.

Sun sets .. .. 7:05 P. M.

Day's length.. .. .. .. 13 hrs. 33 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	9:28	9:47	4:42	4:43
Southport	7:17	7:42	1:30	1:31
Masonboro Inl	7:06	7:31	1:10	1:11

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 9, 1915.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 3 p.m.
Abilene	cldy	86	—	.0
Asheville	clear	80	62	.02
Atlanta	pt cldy	88	72	.08
Augusta	cldy	94	72	.0
Birmingh.	cldy	90	72	.0
Boston	pt cldy	70	64	.60
Charleston	pt cldy	92	76	.0
Charlotte	cldy	90	72	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	70	68	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	88	82	.0
Memphis.	cldy	90	76	.0
Mobile.	clear	88	74	.0
Montgom'y	pt cldy	96	74	.0
New Orl	pt cldy	90	78	.0
New York	cldy	80	68	.06
Oklahoma	cldy	80	66	1.82
Palestine	pt cldy	94	76	.0
Pittsburg	cldy	80	62	.04
Raleigh	clear	88	72	.02
Savannah	pt cldy	92	76	.32
Shreveport	pt cldy	94	74	.0
St. Louis.	rain	84	70	.0
Washing'n	pt cldy	86	68	.04

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank each and everyone who was so kind to us in the recent death and for their sympathy and encouragement at the funeral of Mrs. Frances S. Quinn, our mother, who was laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery Sunday afternoon. Their kindness will never be forgotten.

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On sale August 10, 16 and 24, limited to midnight of seventeenth day following, but not including date of sale, prior to which time return trip must be completed.

MONTEAGLE AND SEWANEE, TENN.. .. .. $20.55

On saleA ugust 3, 5 and 12, limited returning September 4th.

WAYNESVILLE, N. C. $12.60

On sale August 6 to 9, inclusive, limited August 28th.

On sale August 17 to 20, inclusive, limited September 2.

COLUMBUS, OHIO $23.85

On sale August 12, 13, 14; limited returning August 25th.

BRIMINGHAM, ALA $18.80

On sale August 16-17, limited returning August 25th.

CHICAGO, ILL $32.10

On sale September 5, 6, 7, limited returning September 19th.

For schedules, reservations and any further informaton, call 'phone 160, or apply to C. M. ACKER, Ticket Agent of the

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Lv. FLORENCE, S. C. .. .. .. 8:10 P. M.
Lv. Sumter, S. C. .. .. 9:30 P. M.
Ar. Columbia, S. C. .. .. .. 10:50 P. M.
Lv. Columbia, S. C. .. .. .. 11:40 P.M.
Ar. ASHEVILLE, N. C. .. .. 7:40 A. M.

EASTBOUND:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Lv. ASHEVILLE, N. C. .. .. .. 7:00 A. M.
Ar. Columbia, S. C. .. .. .. 2:30 P. M.
Lv. Columbia, S. C. .. .. .. 4:10 P. M.
Ar. Sumter, S. C. .. .. 5:50 P. M.
Ar. Florence, S. C. .. .. .. 7:20 P.M.
Lv. Florence, S. C. .. .. .. 8:40 P. M.
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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Soutnern Railroad.	**No. 91.** 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia, and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to recieve outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M. **Pullman sleeper leaves Asheville 7:00 A. M., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving Wilmington 12:25 midnight, taking the place of the Columbia sleeper on those days.**	**No. 50.** 12:25 A.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	**No. 65.** 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	**No. 49.** 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 53. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	**No. 52.** 5:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	**No. 63.** 12:50 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.
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No. 57 6:20 P.M. Sun.only.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate points.	No. 53 9:15 A.M Sun. only.
No. 59. 6:30 P.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	**No. 60.** 10:15 A.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P. M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	**No. 41.** 9:50 A.M. Daily.
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WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:25 A. M.	6:06 A.M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A.M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	5:45 P.M.
6:10 P. M.	6:20 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 P.M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville, and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets in Wilmington, and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
8:00 A. M.	7:05 A.M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
7:00 A.M.	6:40 A.M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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AMERICAN HARVEST A RECORD BREAKER

Wheat Crop is Greatest in the World's History.

GOVERNMENT'S REPORT

Shows Estimated Wheat Crop Value Over $1,000,000,000 and Corn Possibly $2,500,000,000—Other Record Crops.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Three billion bushels of corn, one and a half billion bushels of oats, and a billion bushels of wheat are in prospect for this year's American harvest. Record crops of rye, white and sweet potatoes, tobacco, rice and hay also are predicted. Farmers planted 310,546,000 acres, or 10,000,000 acres more than last year, to their principal products.

The wheat crop, the greatest ever grown in any country, will be worth more than $1,000,000,000 while the corn crop's value may reach $2,500,000,000. Estimates of the principal crops announced today by the Department of Agriculture based on conditions of August 1, show all crops will be greater than last year. Corn prospects increased almost one hundred million bushels.

White potatoes promise to exceed their record in production by 103,000,000 bushels, and sweet by 4,000,000 bushels. Other increased over record crops indicated include tobacco 28 million pounds; flax 4,200,000 bushels; hay 2,400,000 tons, and rye, 1,300,000 bushels. Corn prospects fall 206,000,000 bushels and oats 16,000,000 bushels below the records.

The department's estimate follows (in millions, i.e. 000,000 omitted). Total production:

	August Forecast	July Forecast	1914 Crop
Winter wheat	659	668	685
Spring wheat	307	295	206
All Wheat	966	963	891
Corn	2,918	2,814	2,673
Oats	1,402	1,399	1,141
Barley	217	208	195
Rye	44	.....	43
Buckwheat	18	.....	17
White potatoes	431	393	406
Sweet potatoes	63	64	57
Tobacco (lbs)	1,083	1,105	1,035
Flax	18	16	16
Rice	30	30	24
Hay (tons)	750	.....	70
Apples	205	194	253
Peaches	60	58	54

Figures for winter wheat and rye are preliminary estimates.

Details of each crop, other than total production, as announced by the department, follow:

Winter Wheat: Preliminary estimates show the acre yield as 16.4 bushels, compared with 19 last year and 15.6 the five-year average.

Spring Wheat: Condition 93.4 per cent of a normal, compared with 93.3 last month, 75.5 last year, and 78.9 the 10-year average. Indicated acre yield, 16 bushels, compared with 11.8 last year and 13.3 the 1909-13 average.

All Wheat: Indicated acre yield 16.3 bushels, compared with 16.6 last year and 14.7 the 1909-13 average.

Corn: Condition 79.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 81.2 last month, 74.8 last year and 80.6 the 10-year average. Indicated acre yield 26.7 bushels, compared with 25.8 last year and 25.9 the 1909-13 average.

Oats: Condition 91.6 per cent of a normal, compared with 93.9 last month, 79.4 last year and 80.2 the 10-year average. Indicated acre yield ... bushels, compared with 29.7 last year and 30.6 the 1909-13 average. Oats remaining on farms August 1 was 55,607,000 bushels, compared with 62,467,000 last year and 59,417,000 the 1909-13 average.

White Potatoes: Condition 92.0 per cent of a normal, compared with 91.2 last month, 79.0 last year and 81.6 the 10-year average. Indicated acre yield 115.4 bushels, compared with 109.5 last year and 97.1 the 1909-13 average.

Sweet Potatoes: Condition 85.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 88.7 last month, 75.5 last year and 85.2 the 10-year average. Indicated acre yield 95.1 bushels, compared with 93.8 last year and 92.7 the 1909-13 average.

Tobacco: Condition 79.7 per cent of a normal, compared with 85.5 last month, 66.5 last year and 79.7 the 10-year average. Indicated acre yield .... pounds, compared with 845.7 last year and 815.1 the 1909-13 average.

Hay: (all tame): Estimated acreage 50,907,000 compared with 48,400,000 last year. Condition 89.0 per cent of a normal, compared with 85.2 last month, 86.7 last year and 84.3 the seven-year average. Indicated acre yield 1.47 tons compared with 1.43 last year and 1.34 the 1909-13 average.

Apples: Condition 61.5 per cent of a normal, compared with 63.3 last month, 61.3 last year and 54.0 the 10-year average.

Peaches: Condition 72.3 per cent of a normal, compared with 73.1 last month, 55.9 last year and 54.0 the 10-year average.

MEETING OF CITIZENS TO DISCUSS MOVIE FILM.

Mayor Moore and Mr. P. W. Wells Will Have Charge of Arrangements.

A meeting of 20 or more representative citizens of the city was held in the office of Mayor Moore yesterday at noon for the purpose of discussing the arrangements for the production of the moving picture film to be produced in Wilmington and at Wrightsville Beach during the convention of the North Carolina Motion Picture Exhibitors' League to be held at the beach August 16, 17 and 18. The meeting was called by Mr. P. W. Wells, president of the League, who has general charge of the getting up of the film which is expected to be a great advertising feature for Wilmington.

Mayor Moore presided at the meeting and Mr. Wells explained thoroughly what has been done and what it is proposed todo. He said that it was his idea to place the getting up of the film in the hands of a committee of citizens. He suggested a tentative outline of the pictures that might be taken. He told of the arrangements made by him to have the picture shown throughout the State and in the leading cities of the South. Such a picture he thought ought to be one that would show up the city and beach to best advantage and it was for this reason, he said, that it was desired to secure the co-operation of representative citizens.

Several suggestions were made for getting the picture, among those taking part in the discussion being Mayor Moore, Councilmen McCaig and Merritt, Mayor Thos. H. Wright, of Wrightsville Beach; Mr. W. J. Craig, passenger traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast Line; Mr. W. A. McGirt, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners; Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Company; Mr. Howard B. Branch, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Meares Harriss, secretary of the Rotary Club.

The project has been endorsed by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Harriss explained that the Rotary Club had not endorsed the proposition until a proper guarantee had been secured from the promoters of the picture. However, the representatives did not take the club's suggestion about the matter, he said, and had proceeded without its endorsement. He stated that the proposition as now arranged is entirely acceptable to the club. Secretary Branch said that the Chamber of Commerce had endorsed the financial arrangement for the production of the picture.

It was decided by the citizens present that Mr. P. W. Wells should have general charge of the arrangements and he and Mayor Moore are to meet with the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and a representative of the Rotary Club this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of appointing committees to take up the different features.

Councilmen Jones and Bunting attended the meeting as well as a number of other citizens.

REMAINS OF MR. WIEGAND SHIPPED TO HIS HOME

Young Man Had Been Living Here Five Years, and Had Many Friends.

The funeral of Mr. Adam F. Wiegand, who was drowned in Masonboro Sound Sunday afternoon while making a heroic effort to save the life of William Fuchs, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. H. Fuchs, was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fuchs, No. 411 South Second street at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The ministers in charge were Rev. W. L. Becker and Rev. F. W. E. Peschau. The body was sent on the 6:45 train last evening to Hazletown, Pa., the home of his mother, Mrs. George Weigand, where burial will be made. It was accompanied by the following representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of which Mr. Weigand was an esteemed member: Messrs. C. Leon, V. G. Webb, G. W. Autry, R. C. Smith, A. R. Johnson and J. W. Liles.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. C. W. Polvogt, George Werner, John Hintz, F. J. Duls, D. L. Struthers, Victor Stonebanks and all officers of the Lutheran Sunday school.

DIES AT SANITARIUM.

Miss Sudie Southerland, of Rose Hill, Aged 22 Years, Passes.

Many friends here in the city and elsewhere will be grieved to hear the sad news of the death of Miss Sudie Southerland, which occurred yesterday evening at 6:10 o'clock at Harper's Sanitarium, where she had come to take treatment. Miss Southerland's home is at Rose Hill, where she is survived by four sisters. Mrs. W. B. Herring, Mrs. D. B. Herring, Misses Ethel and Lucy Southerland. She was just 22 years of age. The remains were taken last night to the home of her aunt, Mrs. V. C. Rivenbark, at No. 216 South Ninth street. It will be sent on an early train today to Rose Hill, where funeral services will be conducted at the home by Rev. W. P. M. Currie, of Burgaw, and burial will be made in the family burying ground.

THERMOMETER RISES

Above 90 Degrees for the First Time in Several Days—Little Rain.

The thermometer yesterday reached 91 degrees, the first time it has gone above 90 degrees since the heavy wind and rainstorm of early last week. The cool weather has been decidedly pleasing to the people of the city as well as those of the country, but a return of warmer weather that is anticipated is welcomed by those who have interests in crops that are just now in the making and need plenty of heat and moisture. There was some precipitation yesterday before 8 o'clock and a nice little shower after dark. There will likely be thunder showers today and tomorrow.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: Clarence A. Montgomery, executor of the will of J. P. Montgomery, to Ethel Hines and Lela Horne, for $1 and other considerations, lot on north side of Gibson avenue, 32 feet west of 21st street; New Hanover Transit Company to R. A. Montgomery, for $100 and other considerations, lot No. 5, in block 2 at Carolina Beach; Oscar H. Wright and Linnie E. Wright, of Jacksonville, Fla., to W. B. McClellan, for $500, lot on south side of Harris' alley, 100 feet west of Sixth street, 65x65 feet in size; J. A. Carter and wife to D. F. Henry and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of 11th and Meares street, 33x109 feet in size; Wilmington Beach Corporation to Mrs. Dorothea Montgomery, for $1 and other considerations, lot 11 in block 3.

COMMISSION EXAMINES TRULL

Will Go to Charlotte to Take Further Evidence as to Sanity.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 9.—The special commission for examining Charles E. Trull, young white man of Charlotte, under sentence to die September 3 for the murder and robbery of an aged merchant in Mecklenburg, made the personal examination of Trull at the State prison today and deferred final action as to whether or not they considered the young man sane enough to be responsible for his action until next Tuesday in Charlotte when counsel for Trull can be heard and evidence they claim to have can be presented.

Cameron Morrison and Jake Newell, counsel for Trull, were here and discussed the case with the members of the commission after the prisoner had been examined.

The commission consists of Superintendent McCampbell, of the Western hospital, Morganton, Superintendent Anderson, of the Central Hospital, Raleigh, and Superintendent Faison, of the Eastern Hospital, Goldsboro.

DR. CHAPMAN PREACHES.

Delivered Two Discourses at Methodist Bible Conference Yesterday.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 9.—Dr. Wilbur C. Chapman, the evangelist, preached two sermons today at the Bible conference of the Southern Methodist church at Junaluska. This ends Dr. Chapman's appearance at the conference. The conference will continue for the balance of the week, among the speakers being Dr. H. M. DuBose, of Atlanta, and W. F. Tillett, dean of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn. The conference has about 400 delegates.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 9. — The Dixie Day celebration planned for today at the Panama-Pacific Exposition was postponed until next Friday because of the failure of an expected delegation of Southerners to reach San Francisco.

This is Children's Night
at Lumina. 8:15 to 9:15 o'clock.
(Advertisement.)

PEACE CONFEREES OF TWO AMERICAS DECIDE UPON PLAN

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state the exact nature of his errand.

"The Mexican situation is being handled by the State Department," he said. "I have not even been consulted regarding possible financing plans. I would assume that the time has not arrived for the discussion of such plans, although, of course, I know nothing officially of the matter." The Secretary added that should the United States government establish a government in Mexico he felt sure there would be no trouble in financing it.

Mr. McAdoo conferred with W. P. G. Harding, of the Federal Reserve Board, and others at the sub-treasury.

Prominent Mexicans here expressed the belief that the diplomatic conference was transferred to New York chiefly so the diplomats could more easily secure the views of financiers who have important interests in Mexico.

PERMISSION TO BUY FOOD.

Granted by Villa to Red Cross in the Saltillo District.

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 9.—General Orestes Peyreva, Villa governor of the Saltillo district, announced today that Villa had granted the American Red Cross permission to buy foodstuffs in the territory he controls for distribution in Mexico.

PROTEST SHIPMENT OF MUNITIONS TO EUROPE

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ports submitted at a business session tonight showed that the federation's membership has grown from 31,000 in 1909 to 132,000.

TEMPERANCE ABOUT TO TRIUMPH.

Catholic Total Abstinence Union Hears Reports and Addresses.

Pittsburg, Aug. 9.—Officers' reports and addresses held the attention today of the annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union.

The National president, the Very Rev. P. J. O'Callaghan, of Chicago, told of the wide growth of the temperance movement and declared "there is a great dominant sentiment that temperance is about to burst into triumph."

"Some of the biggest brewers in America have ceased to invest in brewery stock," he added. "The reserve of whiskey is not as good as it used to be—good as gold bonds."

William H. Cuddy, of Boston, national vice president, spoke in opposition to a combination of the union with either the Catholic prohibition party or the Catholic anti-saloon league, on the grounds that they were political rather than religious.

RENEWED PROGRESS AGAINST RUSSIANS

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neighbor whose attitude is considered of the greatest importance. Although the protocol is said to have been signed, discussion of final details has brought up several obstacles and negotiations now are apparently at a standstill. The Bulgarians are reported to be demanding further concessions which the Turks are unwilling to yield in the face of Russia's reverses.

The Maritz is the principal river in European Turkey. It rises in Bulgaria and flows through Turkey, finally forming the boundary between Turkey and a portion of the Turkish territory ceded to Bulgaria after the Balkan war.

It is navigable from the Aegean sea as far as Adrianople about 100 miles. Adrianople is on the east bank of the Maritza, several miles from the present Bulgarian border.

WARSAW-LUBLIN ROAD CROSSED.

Teutonic Forces Repulse Russians at Several Points.

Vienna, via London, Aug. 8.—An official statement today says Teutonic forces yesterday crossed the main road from Warsaw to Lublin between the railway from Ivangorod to Lukow, and the village of Garwolin. Other troops crossed the Viehra in a northeast and northeasterly direction, while on the Dneister near the Bukowina border the Russians were repulsed at several points and 1,600 men and five machine guns captured.

GERMAN TOWN SHELLED.

Saarbruecken Attacked by Twenty-Eight French Aeroplanes.

Paris, Aug. 9.—Twenty-eight aeroplanes today shelled Saarbruecken, Germany, northeast of Metz, the war office announced today. The report says 164 shells were dropped on the station and factories of the town and that many fires were observed in the territory shelled.

GERMAN FLEET REPULSED.

Reported to Have Attacked Entrance to Gulf of Riga.

Petrograd, via London, August 10.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"A German fleet of nine battleships and twelve cruisers with a large number of torpedo boat destroyers, persistently attacked the entrance to the Gulf of Riga Sunday, but everywhere were repulsed. A cruiser and two torpedo boat destroyers were damaged."

RALEIGH EXPECTING ABOUT 150 VISITING ROTARIANS

All Things Ready for Elaborate Entertainment Today.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 9.—The Raleigh Rotary club is expecting about 150 visiting Rotarians tomorrow from Asheville, Wilmington, Norfolk and Richmond, and the programme for the entertainment of the visitors is all completed with every indication that it will be a day memorable for the Raleigh and the visiting Rotarians.

The Wilmington Rotarians will be the first to arrive, they coming nearly a half hundred strong on the midnight train tonight and the others reaching here on the early morning trains in time for a big Rotarian breakfast at Hotel Yarborough under the auspices of the local club. From the breakfast, which will teem with interesting and amusing features, there will go forth from the hotel a big Rotary automobile procession that will convey the Rotarians to the State House where, in Representatives hall, there will take place the public meeting in which there will be heart to heart discussions of problems of business alliances and co-operation between the cities and sections of the two states represented at the meeting.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 9.—Canada has sent about 80,000 soldiers to Europe, according to figures given out here tonight and from 60,000 to 65,000 more are being trained at various camps in the Dominion. It is stated men are still offering themselves for enlistment in large numbers.

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ROUTINE MATTERS ENGAGE CITY COUNCIL

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the authority of the Hearth Department in the matter is supreme.

A communication from Dr. Nesbitt stated that just now when a vigorous effort is being made to combat typhoid and other diseases, the Health Department is handicapped in its campaign by the shutting off of water and sewerage from some 500 houses where the other toilet provisions were made and that such action, although for nonpayment of dues, was very dangerous just at this time. Councilman Jones presented a statement from the superintendent of water and sewerage, stating that only 127 services had thus far been cut off and that 170 others were on the "cut-off" list, but about 20 per cent of the latter were unoccupied houses. The city attorney was asked as to any steps that might be taken for the collection of water and sewerage rents due without the danger complained of, but he asked for time to investigate within the next few days, explaining the difficulties of the situation. He favored legislative enactment, making water and sewerage rentals chargeable against the property and collectable as other taxes are collected without the necessity of a suit, which was undesirable where the claims are small. Under the law at present the collection can be made from the property owner, but a suit has to be brought for judgment. The whole matter was referred to the City Attorney with assurance to the Health Department that everything possible would be done to co-operate in the department's efforts in behalf of the public health.

A letter was read from City Attorney Ruark with reference to the ownership of the water and sewerage pipes in Carolina Heights, authorities from other states being cited to show the status of such public utilities in development enterprises, it being held in some instances that the mains belong to the owners of the development and in others that the service pipes are a part of the property of each resident. He suggested a friendly suit to determine ownership of the pipes and legal machinery for acquiring the property. Later the board heard a statement of Burke H. Bridgers, Esq., relative to the matter in which he held that residents of Carolina Heights could resist payment of tax on water and sewerage bonds unless they were provided with these conveniences by the city. The whole matter after some discussion was referred to the committee previously appointed to handle this situation.

The Council at 9:30 o'clock adjourned subject to call.

"MIDDIES" ATTEND BALL

Strict Regulations Regarding Shore Leave at Night Temporarily Waived.

San Francisco, Aug. 9.—Curfew did not ring tonight for 800 Annapolis "middies" who were allowed to attend a navy ball at the civic auditorium, under the auspices of the navy relief society. Strict regulations regarding shore leave at night in practice cruise were waived temporarily.

Telegrams from President Wilson, Secretary Daniels and Admiral Dewey were read.

Had Pellagra Seven Years Thanks God He's Cured

Cowards, S. C.—David G. Pate, of this place, writes: "I am glad to say to you, after waiting forty days, that I still feel like I am cured of pellagra. I had this disease for the last seven years. The fourth day after beginning your medicine I went back to work and have been able to do my work ever since. I thank God for your remedy."

There is no longer any doubt that pellagra can be cured. Don't delay until it is too late. It is your duty to consult the resourceful Baughn.

The symptoms—hands red like sunburn, skin peeling off, sore mouth, the lips, throat and tongue a flaming red, with much mucus and choking; indigestion and nausea, either diarrhoea or constipation.

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WANTED — YOUNG MAN TO LOOK after our interests in Wilmington. Salary starting, $12.00 weekly. No canvassing. Frontier Mfg. Co., Niagara Falls, N. Y. au8-su,tu,th,su-4t*

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PEACHES, PEACHES, PEACHES, 25 cents basket. Nice, large, freestone peaches. Fancy beef, veal, lamb and pork. All kinds of fresh vegetables; country eggs, raw and boiled ham and sliced bacon. See us before you buy. 'Phone No. 72, Palace Market, 108 South Front street. au10-tf

REMOVAL NOTICE — IN ORDER TO carry a more complete line of electrical fixtures and supplies, I will move my place of business to No. 215 Princess street, on or about August 16th. I wish to thank my customers for their past patronage and will further solicit same in the future. The place where "Anything Electrical" is carried. J. W. Blake, Electrical Contractor. au10-6t

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HOW CAN BRINSON PRESSING CLUB press suits for 25 cents? Because he has a sanitary pressing machine. Palm Beach suits, 50 cents. Phone 717, 114 1-2 Princess street. au 8-3t*

SPECIAL BARGAINS, 10C MACKEREL 5 cents, puffed wheat, 9 cents. Large canned sardines, in tomato sauce, 13 cents, fresh potato chips, 9 cents, can pimento 9 cents, at May Bros., 130 Market st.; 'Phone 1322. au6-tf

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FOR SALE — OR WILL EXCHANGE for automobile, one top buggy and one open buggy. Both rubber tires. All parts in good condition. L. L. Shepard, 817 North 4th St.; Phone 1186. au5-tf

KODAK FINISHING — SEND OR bring one of your best Kodak negatives and receive sample print free. The one who has the best negative each week will be given a nice enlargement. Add five cents for postage. "Little Billie," 101-2 North Front street, Wilmington, N. C. (over Honnet's). au4-7t*

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WANTED — POSTOFFICE CLERK- carrier "exam." at Wilmington, September 4th. Prepare under former Government examiner. Booklet S-744 Free. Patterson Civil Service School, Rochester, N. Y. jy18-30t*

ON AUGUST 7TH THE PEOPLE'S Building and Loan Association opens its 29th series of stock. We want you a stockholder. For particulars and attractive booklet inquire at Foster's Real Estate Agency, 112 Princess street. jy18-tf

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